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THERMOSTABLE PHOSPHATASES

This invention relates to newly identified polynucleotides, polypeptides encoded by such polynucleotides, the use of such polynucleotides and polypeptides, as well as the production and isolation of such polynucleotides and polypeptides. More particularly, the polynucleotides and polypeptides of the present invention have been identified as thermostable alkaline phosphatases.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Phosphatases are a group of enzymes that remove phosphate groups from organophosphate ester compounds. There are numerous phosphatases, including alkaline phosphatases, phosphodiesterases and phytases.

Alkaline phosphatases are widely distributed enzymes and are composed of a group of enzymes which hydrolyze organic phosphate ester bonds at alkaline pH.

Phosphodiesterases are capable of hydrolyzing nucleic acids by hydrolyzing the phosphodiester bridges of DNA and RNA. The classification of phosphodiesterases depends upon which side of the phosphodiester bridge is attacked. The 3' enzymes specifically hydrolyze the ester linkage between the 3' carbon and the phosphoric group whereas the 5' enzymes hydrolyze the ester linkage between the phosphoric group and the 5' carbon of the phosphodiester bridge. The best known of the class 3' enzymes is a phosphodiesterase from the venom of the rattlesnake or from a rustle's viper, which hydrolyses all the 3' bonds in either RNA or DNA liberating nearly all the nucleotide units as nucleotide 5' phosphates. This enzyme requires a free 3' hydroxyl group on the terminal nucleotide residue and proceeds stepwise from that end of the

polynucleotide chain. This enzyme and all other nucleases which attack only at the ends of the polynucleotide chains are called exonucleases. The 5' enzymes are represented by a phosphodiesterase from bovine spleen, also an exonuclease, which hydrolyses all the 5' linkages of both DNA and RNA and thus liberates only nucleoside 3' phosphates. It begins its attack at the end of the chain having a free 3' hydroxyl group.

Phytases are enzymes which recently have been introduced to commerce. The phytase enzyme removes phosphate from phytic acid (inositol hexaphosphoric acid), a compound found in plants such as corn, wheat and rice. The enzyme has commercial use for the treatment of animal feed, making the inositol of the phytic acid available for animal nutrition. *Aspergillus ficuum* and wheat are sources of phytase. (Business Communications Co., Inc., 25 Van Zant Street, Norwalk, CT 06855).

Phytase is used to improve the utilization of natural phosphorus in animal feed. Use of phytase as a feed additive enables the animal to metabolize a larger degree of its cereal feed's natural mineral content thereby reducing or altogether eliminating the need for synthetic phosphorus additives. More important than the reduced need for phosphorus additives is the corresponding reduction of phosphorus in pig and chicken waste. Many European countries severely limit the amount of manure that can be spread per acre due to concerns regarding phosphorus contamination of ground water. This is highly important in northern Europe, and will eventually be regulated throughout the remainder of the European Continent and the United States as well. (Excerpts from Business Trend Analysts, Inc., January 1994, Frost and Sullivan Report 1995 and USDA on-line information.)

Alkaline phosphatase hydrolyzes monophosphate esters, releasing an organic phosphate and the cognate alcohol compound. It is non-specific with respect to the alcohol moiety and it is this feature which accounts for the many uses of this enzyme. The enzyme has a pH optimum between 9 and 10, however, it can also function at neutral pH, (study of the enzyme industry conducted by Business Communications Company, Inc., 25 Van Zant Street, Norwalk, Connecticut 06855, 1995.).

Thermostable alkaline phosphatases are not irreversibly inactivated even when heated to 60°C or more for brief periods of time, as, for example, in the practice of hydrolyzing monophosphate esters.

Alkaline phosphatases may be obtained from numerous thermophilic organisms, such as *Ammonifex degensii*, *Aquifex pyrophilus*, *Archaeoglobus lithotrophicus*, *Methanococcus igneus*, *Pyrolobus*(a Crenarchaeota), *Pyrococcus* and *Thermococcus*, which are mostly Eubacteria and *Euryarchaeota*. Many of these organisms grow at temperatures up to about 103°C and are unable to grow below 70°C. These anaerobes are isolated from extreme environments. For example, *Thermococcus* CL-2 was isolated from a worm residing on a "black smoker" sulfite structure.

Interest in alkaline phosphatases from thermophilic microbes has increased recently due to their value for commercial applications. Two sources of alkaline phosphatases dominate and compete commercially: (i) animal, from bovine and calf intestinal mucosa, and (ii) bacterial, from *E. coli*. Due to the high turnover number of calf intestinal phosphatase, it is often selected as the label in many enzyme immunoassays. The usefulness of calf alkaline phosphatase, however, is limited by its inherently low

thermostability, which is even further compromised during the chemical preparation of the enzyme: antibody conjugates. Bacterial alkaline phosphatase is an alternative to calf alkaline phosphatase due to bacterial alkaline phosphatase's extreme thermotolerance at temperatures as high as 95°C (Tomazic-Allen, S.J., Recombinant Bacterial Phosphatase as an Immunodiagnostic Enzyme, Annals D Biology Clinique, 49(5):287-90 (1991), however, the enzyme has a very low turnover number.

There is a need for novel phosphatase enzymes having enhanced thermostability. This includes a need for thermostable alkaline phosphatases whose enhanced thermostability is beneficial in enzyme labeling processes and certain recombinant DNA techniques, such as in the dephosphorylation of vector DNA prior to insert DNA ligation. Recombinant phosphatase enzymes provide the proteins in a format amenable to efficient production of pure enzyme, which can be utilized in a variety of applications as described herein. Accordingly, there is a need for the characterization, amino acid sequencing, DNA sequencing, and heterologous expression of thermostable phosphatase enzymes. The present invention meets these need by providing DNA and amino acid sequence information and exprssion and purification protocol for thermostable phosphatase derived from several organisms.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The present invention provides thermostable phosphatases from several organisms. In accordance with one aspect of the present invention, there are provided novel enzymes, as well as active fragments, analogs and derivatives thereof.

In accordance with another aspect of the present invention, there are provided isolated nucleic acid molecules

encoding the enzymes of the present invention, including mRNAs, cDNAs, genomic DNAs, as well as active analogs and fragments of such nucleic acids.

In accordance with another aspect of the present invention, there are provided isolated nucleic acid molecules encoding mature enzymes expressed by the DNA contained in the plasmid DNA vector deposited with the ATCC as Deposit No. 97536 on May 10, 1996.

In accordance with a further aspect of the present invention, there is provided a process for producing such polypeptides by recombinant techniques comprising culturing recombinant prokaryotic and/or eukaryotic host cells, containing a nucleic acid sequence of the present invention, under conditions promoting expression of said enzymes and subsequent recovery of said enzymes.

In accordance with yet a further aspect of the present invention, there is provided a process for utilizing such enzymes for hydrolyzing monophosphate ester bonds, as an enzyme label in immunoassays, for removing 5' phosphate prior to end-labeling, and for dephosphorylating vectors prior to insert ligation.

In accordance with yet a further aspect of the present invention, there are also provided nucleic acid probes comprising nucleic acid molecules of sufficient length to specifically hybridize to a nucleic acid sequence of the present invention.

In accordance with yet a further aspect of the present invention, there is provided a process for utilizing such enzymes, or polynucleotides encoding such enzymes, for *in vitro* purposes related to scientific research, for example,

to generate probes for identifying similar sequences which might encode similar enzymes from other organisms by using certain regions, i.e., conserved sequence regions of the nucleotide sequence.

These and other aspects of the present invention will be apparent to those of skill in the art from the teachings herein.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

The following drawings are illustrative of embodiments of the invention and are not meant to limit the scope of the invention as encompassed by the claims.

Figure 1 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Ammonifex degensii* KC4 of the present invention. Sequencing was performed using a 378 automated DNA sequence for all sequences of the present invention (Applied Biosystems, Inc., Foster City, California).

Figure 2 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Methanococcus igneus* Ko15.

Figure 3 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Thermococcus alcaliphilus* AEDII12RA.

Figure 4 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Thermococcus celer*.

Figure 5 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Thermococcus* GU5L5.

Figure 6 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of OC9a.

Figure 7 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of M11TL.

Figure 8 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Thermococcus* CL-2.

Figure 9 is an illustration of the full-length DNA and corresponding deduced amino acid sequence of *Aquifex* VF-5.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

To facilitate understanding of the invention, a number of terms are defined below.

The term "isolated" means altered "by the hand of man" from its natural state; *i*.e., if it occurs in nature, it has been changed or removed from its original environment, or both. For example, a naturally occurring polynucleotide or a polypeptide naturally present in a living animal in its natural state is not "isolated", but the same polynucleotide or polypeptide separated from the coexisting materials of its natural state is "isolated", as the term is employed herein. For example, with respect to polynucleotides, the term isolated means that it is separated from the nucleic acid and cell in which it naturally occurs.

As part of or following isolation, such polynucleotides can be joined to other polynucleotides, such as DNAs, for mutagenesis, to form fusion proteins, and for propagation or expression in a host, for instance. The isolated polynucleotides, alone or joined to other polynucleotides such as vectors, can be introduced into host cells, in culture or in whole organisms. Introduced into host cells in culture or in whole organisms, such polynucleotides still would be isolated, as the term is used herein, because they would not be in their naturally occurring form or environment. Similarly, the polynucleotides and polypeptides may occur in a composition, such as a media formulation (solutions for introduction of polynucleotides or polypeptides, for example, into cells or compositions or solutions for chemical or enzymatic reactions which are not naturally occurring compositions) and, therein remain isolated polynucleotides or polypeptides within the meaning of that term as it is employed herein.

The term "ligation" refers to the process of forming phosphodiester bonds between two or more polynucleotides, which most often are double stranded DNAs. Techniques for ligation are well known to the art and protocols for ligation are described in standard laboratory manuals and references, such as, for instance, Sambrook et al., MOLECULAR CLONING, A LABORATORY MANUAL, 2nd Ed.; Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Press, Cold Spring Harbor, New York (1989).

The term "oligonucleotide" as used herein is defined as a molecule comprised of two or more deoxyribonucleotides or ribonucleotides, preferably more than three, and usually more than ten. The exact size of an oligonucleotide will depend on many factors, including the ultimate function or use of the oligonucleotide. Oligonucleotides can be prepared by any suitable method, including, for example, cloning and

restriction of appropriate sequences and direct chemical synthesis by a method such as the phosphotriester method of Narang *et al.*, 1979, Meth. Enzymol., 68:90-99; the phosphodiester method of Brown et *al.*, 1979, Method Enzymol., 68:109-151, the diethylphosphoramidite method of Beaucage et *al.*, 1981, Tetrahedron Lett., 22:1859-1862; the triester method of Matteucci et *al.*, 1981, J. Am. Chem. Soc., 103:3185-3191, or automated synthesis methods; and the solid support method of U.S. Patent No. 4,458,066.

The term "plasmids" generally is designated herein by a lower case p preceded and/or followed by capital letters and/or numbers, in accordance with standard naming conventions that are familiar to those of skill in the art.

Plasmids disclosed herein are either commercially available, publicly available on an unrestricted basis, or can be constructed from available plasmids by routine application of well known, published procedures. Many plasmids and other cloning and expression vectors that can be used in accordance with the present invention are well known and readily available to those of skill in the art. Moreover, those of skill readily may construct any number of other plasmids suitable for use in the invention. The properties, construction and use of such plasmids, as well as other vectors, in the present invention will be readily apparent to those of skill from the present disclosure.

The term "polynucleotide(s)" generally refers to any polyribonucleotide or polydeoxyribonucleotide, which may be unmodified RNA or DNA or modified RNA or DNA. Thus, for instance, polynucleotides as used herein refers to, among others, single-and double-stranded DNA, DNA that is a mixture of single-and double-stranded regions, single- and double-stranded RNA, and RNA that is mixture of single- and double-stranded regions, hybrid molecules comprising DNA and RNA

that may be single-stranded or, more typically, double-stranded or a mixture of single- and double-stranded regions.

In addition, polynucleotide as used herein refers to triple-stranded regions comprising RNA or DNA or both RNA and DNA. The strands in such regions may be from the same molecule or from different molecules. The regions may include all of one or more of the molecules, but more typically involve only a region of some of the molecules. One of the molecules of a triple-helical region often is an oligonucleotide.

As used herein, the term polynucleotide includes DNAs or RNAs as described above that contain one or more modified bases. Thus, DNAs or RNAs with backbones modified for stability or for other reasons are "polynucleotides" as that term is intended herein. Moreover, DNAs or RNAs comprising unusual bases, such as inosine, or modified bases, such as tritylated bases, to name just two examples, are polynucleotides as the term is used herein.

It will be appreciated that a great variety of modifications have been made to DNA and RNA that serve many useful purposes known to those of skill in the art. The term polynucleotide as it is employed herein embraces such chemically, enzymatically or metabolically modified forms of polynucleotides, as well as the chemical forms of DNA and RNA characteristic of viruses and cells, including simple and complex cells, *inter alia*.

The term "primer" as used herein refers to an oligonucleotide, whether natural or synthetic, which is capable of acting as a point of initiation of synthesis when placed under conditions in which primer extension is initiated or possible. Synthesis of a primer extension product which is complementary to a nucleic acid strand is

initiated in the presence of nucleoside triphosphates and a polymerase in an appropriate buffer at a suitable temperature.

The term "primer" may refer to more than one primer, particularly in the case where there is some ambiguity in the information regarding one or both ends of the target region to be synthesized. For instance, if a nucleic acid sequence is inferred from a protein sequence, a "primer" generated to synthesize nucleic acid encoding said protein sequence is actually a collection of primer oligonucleotides containing sequences representing all possible codon variations based on the degeneracy of the genetic code. One or more of the primers in this collection will be homologous with the end of the target sequence. Likewise, if a "conserved" region shows significant levels of polymorphism in a population, mixtures of primers can be prepared that will amplify adjacent sequences.

The term "restriction endonucleases" and "restriction enzymes" refers to bacterial enzymes which cut double-stranded DNA at or near a specific nucleotide sequence.

The term "gene" means the segment of DNA involved in producing a polypeptide chain;
it includes regions preceding and following the coding region (leader and trailer) as well as intervening sequences (introns) between individual coding segments (exons).

A coding sequence is "operably linked" to another coding sequence when RNA polymerase will transcribe the two coding sequences into a single mRNA, which is then translated into a single polypeptide having amino acids derived from both coding sequences. The coding sequences need not be

contiguous to one another so long as the expressed sequences ultimately process to produce the desired protein.

"Recombinant" enzymes refer to enzymes produced by recombinant DNA techniques; *i.e.*, produced from cells transformed by an exogenous DNA construct encoding the desired enzyme. "Synthetic" enzymes are those prepared by chemical synthesis.

A DNA "coding sequence of" or a "nucleotide sequence encoding" a particular enzyme, is a DNA sequence which is transcribed and translated into an enzyme when placed under the control of appropriate regulatory sequences.

The term "thermostable phosphatase" refers to an enzyme which is stable to heat and heat-resistant and catalyzes the removal of phosphate groups from organophosphate ester compounds. Reference to "thermostable phosphatases" includes alkaline phosphatases, phosphodiesterases and phytases.

The phosphatase enzymes of the present invention cannot become irreversibly denatured (inactivated) when subjected to the elevated temperatures for the time necessary to effect the hydrolysis of a phosphate group from an organophosphate ester compound. Irreversible denaturation for purposes herein refers to permanent and complete loss of enzymatic activity. The phosphatase enzymes do not become irreversibly denatured from exposure to temperatures of a range from about 60°C to about 113°C or more. The extreme thermostability of the phosphatase enzymes provides additional advantages over previously characterized thermostable enzymes. Prior to the present invention, efficient hydrolysis of phosphate groups at temperatures as high as 100°C has not been demonstrated. No thermostable phosphatase has been described for this purpose.

In accordance with an aspect of the present invention, there are provided isolated nucleic acids (polynucleotides) which encode for the mature enzymes having the deduced amino acid sequences of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS:28-36).

In accordance with another aspect of the present invention, there are provided isolated polynucleotides encoding the enzymes of the present invention. The deposited material is a mixture of genomic clones comprising DNA encoding an enzyme of the present invention. Each genomic clone comprising the respective DNA has been inserted into a pBluescript vector (Stratagene, La Jolla, CA). The deposit has been deposited with the American Type Culture Collection, 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20852, USA, on May 10, 1996 and assigned ATCC Deposit No. 97536.

The deposit(s) have been made under the terms of the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the deposit of micro-organisms for purposes of patent procedure. The strains will be irrevocably and without restriction or condition released to the public upon the issuance of a patent. These deposits are provided merely as convenience to those of skill in the art and are not an admission that a deposit be required under 35 U.S.C. §112. The sequences of the polynucleotides contained in the deposited materials, as well as the amino acid sequences of the polypeptides encoded thereby, are controlling in the event of any conflict with any description of sequences herein. A license may be required to make, use or sell the deposited materials, and no such license is hereby granted.

The polynucleotides of this invention were originally recovered from genomic gene libraries derived from the following organisms:

Ammonifex degensii KC4 is a eubacteria from the genus *Ammonifex*. It was isolated in Java, Indonesia. It is a gram-negative, chemolithoautotroph. It grows optimally at 70°C in a low-salt culture medium at pH 7 with 0.2% nitrate as a substrate and H_2/CO_2 in gas phase.

Methanococcus igneus KOL5 is a *Euryarchaeota* isolated from Kolbeinsey Ridge in the north of Iceland. It grows optimally at 85°C and pH 7.0 in a high-salt marine medium with H_2/CO_2 in a gas phase. *Aquifex pyrophilus* KOL 5A is a marine bacteria isolated from th Kolbeinsey Ridge in the north of Iceland. It is a gram-negative, rod-shaped, strictly chemolithoautotrophic, knall gas bacterium, and a denitrifier. It grows optimally at 85°C in high-salt marine medium at pH 6.8 with 0_2 as a substrate and H_2/CO_2 + 0.5% O_2 in gas phase.

Thermococcus alcaliphilus AEDII12RA is from the genus *Thermococcus*. AEDII12RA grows optimally at 85°C, pH 9.5 in a high salt medium (marine) containing polysulfides and yeast extract as substrates and N_2 in gas phase.

Thermococcus celer is an *Euryarchaeota*. It grows optimally at 85°C and pH 6.0 in a high-salt marine medium containing elemental sulfur, yeast extract, and peptone as substrates and N_2 in gas phase.

Thermococcus GU5L5 is an *Euryarchaeota* isolated from the Guaymas Basin in Mexico. It grows optimally at 85°C and pH 6.0 in a high-salt marine medium containing 1% elemental sulfur, 0.4% yeast extract, and 0.5% peptone as substrates with N_2 in gas phase.

OC9a-27A3A is a bacteria of unknown etilogy obtained from Yellowstone National Park and maintained as a pure

culture. It grows well on a TK6 medium and has cellulose degrader activity. Further, it codes for an alkaline phosphatase having greater than 50% polypeptide identity and greater than 32% polynucleotide identity to each of *Bombyx mori* and *Escherichia coli C* alkaline phosphatase precursors, which is significant homoloygy. Thus, it is expectged that *OC9a*-27A3A can be cloned and expressed readily in *Escherichi Coli C* in place of its native alkaline phosphatase precursor.

M11 TL is a new species of *Desulfurococcus* isolated from Diamond Pool in Yellowstone National Park. M11TL grows heterotrophically by fermentation of different organic materials (sulfur is not necessary) and forms grape-like aggregates. The organism grows optimally at 85°C to 88°C and pH 7.0 in a low salt medium containing yeast extract, peptone, and gelatin as substrates with an N_2/CO_2 gas phase.

Thermococcus CL-2 is an *Euryarchaeota* isolated from the North Cleft Segment in the Juan de Fuca Ridge. It grows optimally at 88°C in a salt medium with an argon atmosphere.

Aquifex VF-5 is a marine bacteria isolated from a beach in Vulcano, Italy. It is a gram-negative, rod-shaped, strictly chemolithoautotrophic, knall gas bacterium. It grows optimally from 85-90°C in high-salt marine medium at pH 6.8, with O_2 as a substrate and H_2/CO_2 + 0.5% O_2 in gas phase.

Accordingly, the polynucleotides and enzymes encoded thereby are identified by the organism from which they were isolated, and are sometimes hereinafter referred to as "KC4" (Figure 1 and SEQ ID NOS:19 and 28), "Ko15" (Figure 2 and SEQ ID NOS:20 and 29), "AEDII12RA" (Figure 3 and SEQ ID NOS:21 and 30), "Celer" (Figure 4 and SEQ ID NOS:22 and 31), "GU5L5" (Figure 5 and SEQ ID NOS:23 and 32), "OC9a" (Figure 6 and SEQ ID NOS:24 and 33), "M11TL" (Figure 7 and SEQ ID NOS:25 and

34), "CL-2" (Figure 8 and SEQ ID NOS:26 and 35) and "VF-5" (Figure 9 and SEQ ID NOS:27 and 36).

The polynucleotides and polypeptides of the present invention show identity of the nucleotide and protein level to known genes and proteins encoded thereby as shown in Table 1.

Table 1

Clone	Gene/Protein with Closest Homology	Protein Identity	Nucleic Acid Identity
Ammonifex degensiii KC4-3A1A	*Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Candida lipolytica*, acid phosphatase	47%	24%
Ammonifex degensii KC4-3A1A	*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, hypothetical protein YBR094w	54%	26%
Methanococcus igeneus Kol5-9A1A	*Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Candida lipolytica*, acid phosphatase	45%	25%
Methanococcus igeneus Kol5-9A1A	*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, hypothetical protein YBR094w, hypothetical protein YBR0821	52%	25%
Thermococcus alcaliphilus AEDII12RA-18A	No homology found	--	--
Thermococus celer 25A1A	No homology found	--	--
Thermococcus GU5L5-26A1A	*Bacillius subtilis*, alkaline phosphatase IV precursor, alkaline phosphomonoesterase, glycerophosphatase, and phosphomonoesterase	58%	38%
Thermococcus GU5L5-26A1A	*Bacillius subtilis*, alkaline phosphatase III precursor	58%	37%
OC9a-27A3A	*Bombyx mori* (silkworm), alkaline phosphatase precursor	54%	33%
OC9a - 27A3A	*Escherichia coli C*, alkaline phosphatase precursor	53%	34%
M11 TL - 29A1A	*Rhodobacter capsulatus*, hypothetical protein B	43%	24%
Thermococcus Cl2-30A1A	*Yarrowia lipolytica*, *Candida lipolytica*, acid phosphatase	49%	27%
Thermococcus CL2-30A1A	*Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, hypothetical protein YBR094w hypothetical protein YBR0821	50%	25%
Aquifex VF5-34A1A	*Escherichia coli*, suppressor protein suhB	57%	34%

All of the clones identified in Table 1 encode polypeptides which have phosphatase activity.

One means for isolating the nucleic acid molecules encoding the enzymes of the present invention is to probe a gene library with a natural or artificially designed probe using art recognized procedures (see, for example: Current Protocols in Molecular Biology, Ausubel F.M. et al. (EDS.) Green Publishing Company Assoc. and John Wiley Interscience, New York, 1989, 1992). It is appreciated by one skilled in the art that the polynucleotides of SEQ ID NOS: 1-18, or fragments thereof (comprising at least 12 contiguous nucleotides), are particularly useful probes. Other particularly useful probes for this purpose are hybridizable fragments of the sequences of SEQ ID NOS: 19-27 (i.e., comprising at least 12 contiguous nucleotides).

With respect to nucleic acid sequences which hybridize to specific nucleic acid sequences disclosed herein, hybridization may be carried out under conditions of reduced stringency, medium stringency or even stringent conditions. As an example of oligonucleotide hybridization, a polymer membrane containing immobilized denatured nucleic acids is first prehybridized for 30 minutes at 45°C in a solution consisting of 0.9 M NaCl, 50 mM NaH_2PO_4, pH 7.0, 5.0 mM Na_2EDTA, 0.5% SDS, 10X Denhardt's, and 0.5 mg/mL polyriboadenylic acid. Approximately 2 X 10^7 cpm (specific activity 4-9 X 10^8 cpm/ug) of ^{32}P end-labeled oligonucleotide probe are then added to the solution. After 12-16 hours of incubation, the membrane is washed for 30 minutes at room temperature in 1X SET (150 mM NaCl, 20 mM Tris hydrochloride, pH 7.8, 1 mM Na_2EDTA) containing 0.5% SDS, followed by a 30 minute wash in fresh 1X SET at (Tm less 10°C) for the oligonucleotide probe. The membrane is then exposed to autoradiographic film for detection of hybridization signals.

Stringent conditions means hybridization will occur only if there is at least 90% identity, preferably at least 95% identity and most preferably at least 97% identity between the sequences. Further, it is understood that a section of a 100 bps sequence that is 95 bps in length has 95% identity with the 1090 bps sequence from which it is obtained. *See* J. Sambrook et al., *Molecular Cloning, A Laboratory Manual, 2d Ed.*, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory (1989) which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety. Also, it is understood that a fragment of a 100 bps sequence that is 95 bps in length has 95% identity with the 100 bps sequence from which it is obtained.

As used herein, a first DNA (RNA) sequence is at least 70% and preferably at least 80% identical to another DNA (RNA) sequence if there is at least 70% and prefefably at least a 80% or 90% identity, respectively, between the bases of the first sequence and the bases of the another sequence, when properly aligned with each other, for example when aligned by BLASTN.

The present invention relates to polynucleotides which differ from the reference polynucleotide such that the differences are silent, for example, the amino acid sequence encoded by the polynucleotides is the same. The present invention also relates to nucleotide changes which result in amino acid substitutions, additions, deletions, fusions and truncations in the polypeptide encoded by the reference polynucleotide. In a preferred aspect of the invention these polypeptides retain the same biological action as the polypeptide encoded by the reference polynucleotide.

The polynucleotides of this invention were recovered from genomic gene libraries from the organisms listed in Table 1. Gene libraries were generated from either of a

Lambda ZAP II or a pBluscript] cloning vector (Stratagene Cloning Systems). Mass excisions were performed on these libraries to generate libraries in the pBluescript phagemid. Libraries were generated and excisions were performed according to the protocols/methods hereinafter described.

The polynucleotides of the present invention may be in the form of RNA or DNA which DNA includes cDNA, genomic DNA, and synthetic DNA. The DNA may be double-stranded or single-stranded, and if single stranded may be the coding strand or non-coding (anti-sense) strand. The coding sequences which encodes the mature enzymes may be identical to the coding sequences shown in Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 19-27) or may be a different coding sequence which coding sequence, as a result of the redundancy or degeneracy of the genetic code, encodes the same mature enzymes as the DNA of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 19-27).

The polynucleotide which encodes for the mature enzyme of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 28-36) may include, but is not limited to: only the coding sequence for the mature enzyme; the coding sequence for the mature enzyme and additional coding sequence such as a leader sequence or a proprotein sequence; the coding sequence for the mature enzyme (and optionally additional coding sequence) and non-coding sequence, such as introns or non-coding sequence 5' and/or 3' of the coding sequence for the mature enzyme.

Thus, the term "polynucleotide encoding an enzyme (protein)" encompasses a polynucleotide which includes only coding sequence for the enzyme as well as a polynucleotide which includes additional coding and/or non-coding sequence.

The present invention further relates to variants of the hereinabove described polynucleotides which encode for

fragments, analogs and derivatives of the enzymes having the deduced amino acid sequences of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 28-36). The variant of the polynucleotide may be a naturally occurring allelic variant of the polynucleotide or a non-naturally occurring variant of the polynucleotide.

Thus, the present invention includes polynucleotides encoding the same mature enzymes as shown in Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 19-27) as well as variants of such polynucleotides which variants encode for a fragment, derivative or analog of the enzymes of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 19-27). Such nucleotide variants include deletion variants, substitution variants and addition or insertion variants.

As hereinabove indicated, the polynucleotides may have a coding sequence which is a naturally occurring allelic variant of the coding sequences shown in Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 19-27). As known in the art, an allelic variant is an alternate form of a polynucleotide sequence which may have a substitution, deletion or addition of one or more nucleotides, which does not substantially alter the function of the encoded enzyme. Also, using directed and other evolution strategies, one may make very minor changes in DNA sequence which can result in major changes in function.

Fragments of the full length gene of the present invention may be used as hybridization probes for a cDNA or a genomic library to isolate the full length DNA and to isolate other DNAs which have a high sequence similarity to the gene or similar biological activity. Probes of this type preferably have at least 10, preferably at least 15, and even more preferably at least 30 bases and may contain, for example, at least 50 or more bases. In fact, probes of this type having at least up to 150 bases or greater may be preferably utilized. The probe may also be used to identify

a DNA clone corresponding to a full length transcript and a genomic clone or clones that contain the complete gene including regulatory and promotor regions, exons and introns. An example of a screen comprises isolating the coding region of the gene by using the known DNA sequence to synthesize an oligonucleotide probe. Labeled oligonucleotides having a sequence complementary or identical to that of the gene or portion of the gene sequences of the present invention are used to screen a library of genomic DNA to determine which members of the library the probe hybridizes to.

It is also appreciated that such probes can be and are preferably labeled with an analytically detectable reagent to facilitate identification of the probe. Useful reagents include but are not limited to radioactivity, fluorescent dyes or enzymes capable of catalyzing the formation of a detectable product. The probes are thus useful to isolate complementary copies of DNA from other sources or to screen such sources for related sequences.

The present invention further relates to polynucleotides which hybridize to the hereinabove-described sequences if there is at least 70%, preferably at least 90%, and more preferably at least 95% identity between the sequences. (As indicated above, 70% identity would include within such definition a 70 bps fragment taken from a 100 bp polynucleotide, for example.) The present invention particularly relates to polynucleotides which hybridize under stringent conditions to the hereinabove-described polynucleotides. As herein used, the term "stringent conditions" means hybridization will occur only if there is at least 95% and preferably at least 97% identity between the sequences. The polynucleotides which hybridize to the hereinabove described polynucleotides in a preferred embodiment encode enzymes which either retain substantially

the same biological function or activity as the mature enzyme encoded by the DNA of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 19-27). In referring to identity in the case of hybridization, as known in the art, such identity refers to the complementarity of two polynucleotide segments.

Alternatively, the polynucleotide may have at least 15 bases, preferably at least 30 bases, and more preferably at least 50 bases which hybridize to any part of a polynucleotide of the present invention and which has an identity thereto, as hereinabove described, and which may or may not retain activity. For example, such polynucleotides may be employed as probes for the polynucleotides of SEQ ID NOS: 19-27, for example, for recovery of the polynucleotide or as a diagnostic probe or as a PCR primer.

Thus, the present invention is directed to polynucleotides having at least a 70% identity, preferably at least 90% identity and more preferably at least a 95% identity to a polynucleotide which encodes the enzymes of SEQ ID NOS: 28-36 as well as fragments thereof, which fragments have at least 15 bases, preferably at least 30 bases, more preferably at least 50 bases and most preferably fragments having up to at least 150 bases or greater, which fragments are at least 90% identical, preferably at least 95% identical and most preferably at least 97% identical to any portion of a polynucleotide of the present invention.

The present invention further relates to enzymes which have the deduced amino acid sequences of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS: 28-36) as well as fragments, analogs and derivatives of such enzyme.

The terms "fragment," "derivative" and "analog" when referring to the enzymes of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS. 28-36)

means enzymes which retain essentially the same biological function or activity as such enzymes. Thus, an analog includes a proprotein which can be activated by cleavage of the proprotein portion to produce an active mature enzyme.

The enzymes of the present invention may be a recombinant enzyme, a natural enzyme or a synthetic enzyme, preferably a recombinant enzyme.

The fragment, derivative or analog of the enzymes of Figures 1-9 (SEQ ID NOS.28-36) may be (i) one in which one or more of the amino acid residues are substituted with a conserved or non-conserved amino acid residue (preferably a conserved amino acid residue) and such substituted amino acid residue may or may not be one encoded by the genetic code, or (ii) one in which one or more of the amino acid residues includes a substituent group, or (iii) one in which the mature enzyme is fused with another compound, such as a compound to increase the half-life of the enzyme (for example, polyethylene glycol), or (iv) one in which the additional amino acids are fused to the mature enzyme, such as a leader or secretory sequence or a sequence which is employed for purification of the mature enzyme or a proprotein sequence. Such fragments, derivatives and analogs are deemed to be within the scope of those skilled in the art from the teachings herein.

The enzymes and polynucleotides of the present invention are preferably provided in an isolated form, and preferably are purified to homogeneity.

The term "isolated" means that the material is removed from its original environment (e.g., the natural environment if it is naturally occurring). For example, a naturally-occurring polynucleotide or enzyme present in a living animal

is not isolated, but the same polynucleotide or enzyme, separated from some or all of the coexisting materials in the natural system, is isolated. Such polynucleotides could be part of a vector and/or such polynucleotides or enzymes could be part of a composition, and still be isolated in that such vector or composition is not part of its natural environment.

The enzymes of the present invention include the enzymes of SEQ ID NOS: 28-36 (in particular the mature enzyme) as well as enzymes which have at least 70% similarity (preferably at least 70% identity) to the enzymes of SEQ ID NOS: 28-36 and more preferably at least 90% similarity (more preferably at least 90% identity) to the enzymes of SEQ ID NOS: 28-36 and still more preferably at least 95% similarity (still more preferably at least 95% identity) to the enzymes of SEQ ID NOS: 28-36 and also include portions of such enzymes with such portion of the enzyme generally containing at least 30 amino acids and more preferably at least 50 amino acids and most preferably at least up to 150 amino acids.

As known in the art "similarity" between two enzymes is determined by comparing the amino acid sequence and its conserved amino acid substitutes of one enzyme to the sequence of a second enzyme. The definition of 70% similarity would include a 70 amino acid sequence fragment of a 100 amino acid sequence, for example, or a 70 amino acid sequence obtained by sequentially or randomly deleting 30 amino acids from the 100 amino acid sequence.

A variant, i.e. a "fragment", "analog" or "derivative" polypeptide, and reference polypeptide may differ in amino acid sequence by one or more substitutions, additions, deletions, fusions and truncations, which may be present in any combination.

Among preferred variants are those that vary from a reference by conservative amino acid substitutions. Such substitutions are those that substitute a given amino acid in a polypeptide by another amino acid of like characteristics. Typically seen as conservative substitutions are the replacements, one for another, among the aliphatic amino acids Ala, Val, Leu and Ile; interchange of the hydroxyl residues Ser and Thr, exchange of the acidic residues Asp and Glu, substitution between the amide residues Asn and Gln, exchange of the basic residues Lys and Arg and replacements among the aromatic residues Phe, Tyr.

Most highly preferred are variants which retain the same biological function and activity as the reference polypeptide from which it varies.

Fragments or portions of the enzymes of the present invention may be employed for producing the corresponding full-length enzyme by peptide synthesis; therefore, the fragments may be employed as intermediates for producing the full-length enzymes. Fragments or portions of the polynucleotides of the present invention may be used to synthesize full-length polynucleotides of the present invention.

The present invention also relates to vectors which include polynucleotides of the present invention, host cells which are genetically engineered with vectors of the invention and the production of enzymes of the invention by recombinant techniques.

Host cells are genetically engineered (transduced or transformed or transfected) with the vectors of this invention which may be, for example, a cloning vector such as an expression vector. The vector may be, for example, in the

form of a plasmid, a phage, etc. The engineered host cells can be cultured in conventional nutrient media modified as appropriate for activating promoters, selecting transformants or amplifying the genes of the present invention. The culture conditions, such as temperature, pH and the like, are those previously used with the host cell selected for expression, and will be apparent to the ordinarily skilled artisan.

The polynucleotides of the present invention may be employed for producing enzymes by recombinant techniques. Thus, for example, the polynucleotide may be included in any one of a variety of expression vectors for expressing an enzyme. Such vectors include chromosomal, nonchromosomal and synthetic DNA sequences, *e.g.*, derivatives of SV40; bacterial plasmids; phage DNA; baculovirus; yeast plasmids; vectors derived from combinations of plasmids and phage DNA, viral DNA such as vaccinia, adenovirus, fowl pox virus, and pseudorabies. However, any other vector may be used as long as it is replicable and viable in the host.

The appropriate DNA sequence may be inserted into the vector by a variety of procedures. In general, the DNA sequence is inserted into an appropriate restriction endonuclease site(s) by procedures known in the art. Such procedures and others are deemed to be within the scope of those skilled in the art.

The DNA sequence in the expression vector is operatively linked to an appropriate expression control sequence(s) (promoter) to direct mRNA synthesis. As representative examples of such promoters, there may be mentioned: LTR or SV40 promoter, the *E. coli. lac* or *trp*, the phage lambda P_L promoter and other promoters known to control expression of genes in prokaryotic or eukaryotic cells or their viruses.

The expression vector also contains a ribosome binding site for translation initiation and a transcription terminator. The vector may also include appropriate sequences for amplifying expression.

In addition, the expression vectors preferably contain one or more selectable marker genes to provide a phenotypic trait for selection of transformed host cells such as dihydrofolate reductase or neomycin resistance for eukaryotic cell culture, or such as tetracycline or ampicillin resistance in *E. coli*.

The vector containing the appropriate DNA sequence as hereinabove described, as well as an appropriate promoter or control sequence, may be employed to transform an appropriate host to permit the host to express the protein.

As representative examples of appropriate hosts, there may be mentioned: bacterial cells, such as *E. coli*, *Streptomyces*, *Bacillus subtilis*; fungal cells, such as yeast; insect cells such as *Drosophila S2* and *Spodoptera Sf9*; animal cells such as CHO, COS or Bowes melanoma; adenoviruses; plant cells, etc. The selection of an appropriate host is deemed to be within the scope of those skilled in the art from the teachings herein.

More particularly, the present invention also includes recombinant constructs comprising one or more of the sequences as broadly described above. The constructs comprise a vector, such as a plasmid or viral vector, into which a sequence of the invention has been inserted, in a forward or reverse orientation. In a preferred aspect of this embodiment, the construct further comprises regulatory sequences, including, for example, a promoter, operably linked to the sequence. Large numbers of suitable vectors

and promoters are known to those of skill in the art, and are commercially available. The following vectors are provided by way of example; Bacterial: pQE70, pQE60, pQE-9 (Qiagen), pBluescript II KS, ptrc99a, pKK223-3, pDR540, pRIT2T (Pharmacia); Eukaryotic: pXT1, pSG5 (Stratagene) pSVK3, pBPV, pMSG, pSVL SV40 (Pharmacia). However, any other plasmid or vector may be used as long as they are replicable and viable in the host.

Promoter regions can be selected from any desired gene using CAT (chloramphenicol transferase) vectors or other vectors with selectable markers. Two appropriate vectors are pKK232-8 and pCM7. Particular named bacterial promoters include lacI, lacZ, T3, T7, gpt, lambda P_R, P_L and trp. Eukaryotic promoters include CMV immediate early, HSV thymidine kinase, early and late SV40, LTRs from retrovirus, and mouse metallothionein-I. Selection of the appropriate vector and promoter is well within the level of ordinary skill in the art.

In a further embodiment, the present invention relates to host cells containing the above-described constructs. The host cell can be a higher eukaryotic cell, such as a mammalian cell, or a lower eukaryotic cell, such as a yeast cell, or the host cell can be a prokaryotic cell, such as a bacterial cell. Introduction of the construct into the host cell can be effected by calcium phosphate transfection, DEAE-Dextran mediated transfection, or electroporation (Davis, L., Dibner, M., Battey, I., *Basic Methods in Molecular Biology*, (1986)).

The constructs in host cells can be used in a conventional manner to produce the gene product encoded by the recombinant sequence. Alternatively, the enzymes of the

invention can be synthetically produced by conventional peptide synthesizers.

Mature proteins can be expressed in mammalian cells, yeast, bacteria, or other cells under the control of appropriate promoters. Cell-free translation systems can also be employed to produce such proteins using RNAs derived from the DNA constructs of the present invention. Appropriate cloning and expression vectors for use with prokaryotic and eukaryotic hosts are described by Sambrook et al., *Molecular Cloning: A Laboratory Manual, Second Edition*, Cold Spring Harbor, N.Y., (1989), the disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

Transcription of the DNA encoding the enzymes of the present invention by higher eukaryotes is increased by inserting an enhancer sequence into the vector. Enhancers are cis-acting elements of DNA, usually about from 10 to 300 bp that act on a promoter to increase its transcription. Examples include the SV40 enhancer on the late side of the replication origin bp 100 to 270, a cytomegalovirus early promoter enhancer, the polyoma enhancer on the late side of the replication origin, and adenovirus enhancers.

Generally, recombinant expression vectors will include origins of replication and selectable markers permitting transformation of the host cell, e.g., the ampicillin resistance gene of *E. coli* and *S. cerevisiae* TRP1 gene, and a promoter derived from a highly-expressed gene to direct transcription of a downstream structural sequence. Such promoters can be derived from operons encoding glycolytic enzymes such as 3-phosphoglycerate kinase (PGK), α-factor, acid phosphatase, or heat shock proteins, among others. The heterologous structural sequence is assembled in appropriate phase with translation initiation and termination sequences,

and preferably, a leader sequence capable of directing secretion of translated enzyme. Optionally, the heterologous sequence can encode a fusion enzyme including an N-terminal identification peptide imparting desired characteristics, e.g., stabilization or simplified purification of expressed recombinant product.

Useful expression vectors for bacterial use are constructed by inserting a structural DNA sequence encoding a desired protein together with suitable translation initiation and termination signals in operable reading phase with a functional promoter. The vector will comprise one or more phenotypic selectable markers and an origin of replication to ensure maintenance of the vector and to, if desirable, provide amplification within the host. Suitable prokaryotic hosts for transformation include *E. coli*, *Bacillus subtilis*, *Salmonella typhimurium* and various species within the genera Pseudomonas, Streptomyces, and Staphylococcus, although others may also be employed as a matter of choice.

As a representative but nonlimiting example, useful expression vectors for bacterial use can comprise a selectable marker and bacterial origin of replication derived from commercially available plasmids comprising genetic elements of the well known cloning vector pBR322 (ATCC 37017). Such commercial vectors include, for example, pKK223-3 (Pharmacia Fine Chemicals, Uppsala, Sweden) and pGEM1 (Promega Biotec, Madison, WI, USA). These pBR322 "backbone" sections are combined with an appropriate promoter and the structural sequence to be expressed.

Following transformation of a suitable host strain and growth of the host strain to an appropriate cell density, the selected promoter is induced by appropriate means (e.g.,

temperature shift or chemical induction) and cells are cultured for an additional period.

Cells are typically harvested by centrifugation, disrupted by physical or chemical means, and the resulting crude extract retained for further purification.

Microbial cells employed in expression of proteins can be disrupted by any convenient method, including freeze-thaw cycling, sonication, mechanical disruption, or use of cell lysing agents, such methods are well known to those skilled in the art.

Various mammalian cell culture systems can also be employed to express recombinant protein. Examples of mammalian expression systems include the COS-7 lines of monkey kidney fibroblasts, described by Gluzman, *Cell*, *23*:175 (1981), and other cell lines capable of expressing a compatible vector, for example, the C127, 3T3, CHO, HeLa and BHK cell lines. Mammalian expression vectors will comprise an origin of replication, a suitable promoter and enhancer, and also any necessary ribosome binding sites, polyadenylation site, splice donor and acceptor sites, transcriptional termination sequences, and 5' flanking nontranscribed sequences. DNA sequences derived from the SV40 splice, and polyadenylation sites may be used to provide the required nontranscribed genetic elements.

The enzyme can be recovered and purified from recombinant cell cultures by methods including ammonium sulfate or ethanol precipitation, acid extraction, anion or cation exchange chromatography, phosphocellulose chromatography, hydrophobic interaction chromatography, affinity chromatography, hydroxylapatite chromatography and lectin chromatography. Protein refolding steps can be used,

as necessary, in completing configuration of the mature protein. Finally, high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) can be employed for final purification steps.

The enzymes of the present invention may be a naturally purified product, or a product of chemical synthetic procedures, or produced by recombinant techniques from a prokaryotic or eukaryotic host (for example, by bacterial, yeast, higher plant, insect and mammalian cells in culture). Depending upon the host employed in a recombinant production procedure, the enzymes of the present invention may be glycosylated or may be non-glycosylated. Enzymes of the invention may or may not also include an initial methionine amino acid residue.

Phosphatases are a group of key enzymes in the removal of phosphate groups from organophosphate ester compounds. There are numerous phosphatases, including alkaline phosphatases, phosphodiesterases and phytases.

The general application and definitions of such compounds are discussed above under the background of the invention section.

The present invention provides novel phosphatase enzymes having enhanced thermostability. Such phosphatases are beneficial in enzyme labeling processes and in certain recombinant DNA techniques, such as in the dephosphorylation of vector DNA prior to insert DNA ligation. The recombinant phosphatase enzymes provide the proteins in a format amenable to efficient production of pure enzyme, which can be utilized in a variety of applications as described herein.

Antibodies generated against the enzymes corresponding to a sequence of the present invention can be obtained by direct injection of the enzymes into an animal or by

administering the enzymes to an animal, preferably a nonhuman. The antibody so obtained will then bind the enzymes itself. In this manner, even a sequence encoding only a fragment of the enzymes can be used to generate antibodies binding the whole native enzymes. Such antibodies can then be used to isolate the enzyme from cells expressing that enzyme.

For preparation of monoclonal antibodies, any technique which provides antibodies produced by continuous cell line cultures can be used. Examples include the hybridoma technique (Kohler and Milstein, *Nature*, 256:495-497, 1975), the trioma technique, the human B-cell hybridoma technique (Kozbor et al., *Immunology Today* 4:72, 1983), and the EBV-hybridoma technique to produce human monoclonal antibodies (Cole et al., in *Monoclonal Antibodies and Cancer Therapy*, Alan R. Liss, Inc., pp. 77-96, 1985).

Techniques described for the production of single chain antibodies (U.S. Patent 4,946,778) can be adapted to produce single chain antibodies to immunogenic enzyme products of this invention. Also, transgenic mice may be used to express humanized antibodies to immunogenic enzyme products of this invention.

Antibodies generated against an enzyme of the present invention may be used in screening for similar enzymes from other organisms and samples. Such screening techniques are known in the art, for example, one such screening assay is described in Sambrook and Maniatis, Molecular Cloning: A Laboratory Manual (2d Ed.), vol. 2:Section 8.49, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, 1989, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

The present invention will be further described with reference to the following examples; however, it is to be understood that the present invention is not limited to such examples. All parts or amounts, unless otherwise specified, are by weight.

In order to facilitate understanding of the following examples certain frequently occurring methods and/or terms will be described.

"Plasmids" are designated by a lower case "p" preceded and/or followed by capital letters and/or numbers. The starting plasmids herein are either commercially available, publicly available on an unrestricted basis, or can be constructed from available plasmids in accord with published procedures. In addition, equivalent plasmids to those described are known in the art and will be apparent to the ordinarily skilled artisan.

"Digestion" of DNA refers to catalytic cleavage of the DNA with a restriction enzyme that acts only at certain sequences in the DNA. The various restriction enzymes used herein are commercially available and their reaction conditions, cofactors and other requirements were used as would be known to the ordinarily skilled artisan. For analytical purposes, typically 1 μg of plasmid or DNA fragment is used with about 2 units of enzyme in about 20 μl of buffer solution. For the purpose of isolating DNA fragments for plasmid construction, typically 5 to 50 μg of DNA are digested with 20 to 250 units of enzyme in a larger volume. Appropriate buffers and substrate amounts for particular restriction enzymes are specified by the manufacturer. Incubation times of about 1 hour at 37°C are ordinarily used, but may vary in accordance with the supplier's instructions. After digestion the reaction is

electrophoresed directly on a polyacrylamide gel to isolate the desired fragment.

Size separation of the cleaved fragments is performed using 8 percent polyacrylamide gel described by Goeddel *et al.*, *Nucleic Acids Res.*, *8*:4057 (1980).

"Oligonucleotides" refers to either a single stranded polydeoxynucleotide or two complementary polydeoxynucleotide strands which may be chemically synthesized. Such synthetic oligonucleotides have no 5' phosphate and thus will not ligate to another oligonucleotide without adding a phosphate with an ATP in the presence of a kinase. A synthetic oligonucleotide will ligate to a fragment that has not been dephosphorylated.

"Ligation" refers to the process of forming phosphodiester bonds between two double stranded nucleic acid fragments (Maniatis, T., et al., *Id.*, p. 146). Unless otherwise provided, ligation may be accomplished using known buffers and conditions with 10 units of T4 DNA ligase ("ligase") per 0.5 μg of approximately equimolar amounts of the DNA fragments to be ligated.

Unless otherwise stated, transformation was performed as described in Sambrook and Maniatis, Molecular Cloning: A Laboratory Manual, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, 1989.

One means for isolating the nucleic acid molecules encoding the enzymes of the present invention is to probe a gene library with a natural or artificially designed probe using art recognized procedures (see, for example: Current Protocols in Molecular Biology, Ausubel F.M. *et al.* (EDS.) Green Publishing Company Assoc. and John Wiley Interscience,

New York, 1989, 1992). It is appreciated to one skilled in the art that the polynucleotides of SEQ ID NOS:1-16, or fragments thereof (comprising at least 10 or 12 contiguous nucleotides), are particularly useful probes. Other particularly useful probes for this purpose are fragments hybridizable fragments to the sequences of SEQ ID NOS:19-27 (*i.e.*, comprising at least 10 or 12 contiguous nucleotides).

It is also appreciated that such probes can be and are preferably labeled with an analytically detectable reagent to facilitate identification of the probe. Useful reagents include but are not limited to radioactivity, fluorescent dyes or enzymes capable of catalyzing the formation of a detectable product. The probes are thus useful to isolate complementary copies of DNA from other sources or to screen such sources for related sequences.

With respect to nucleic acid sequences which hybridize to specific nucleic acid sequences disclosed herein, hybridization may be carried out under conditions of reduced stringency, medium stringency or even stringent conditions. As an example of oligonucleotide hybridization, a polymer membrane containing immobilized denatured nucleic acids is first prehybridized for 30 minutes at 45°C in a solution consisting of 0.9 M NaCl, 50 mM NaH_2PO_4, pH 7.0, 5.0 mM Na_2EDTA, 0.5% SDS, 10X Denhardt's, and 0.5 mg/mL polyriboadenylic acid. Approximately 2 X 10^7 cpm (specific activity 4-9 X 10^8 cpm/ug) of ^{32}P end-labeled oligonucleotide probe are then added to the solution. After 12-16 hours of incubation, the membrane is washed for 30 minutes at room temperature in 1X SET (150 mM NaCl, 20 mM Tris hydrochloride, pH 7.8, 1 mM Na_2EDTA) containing 0.5% SDS, followed by a 30 minute wash in fresh 1X SET at Tm -10°C for the oligo-

nucleotide probe. The membrane is then exposed to auto-radiographic film for detection of hybridization signals.

Stringent conditions means hybridization will occur only if there is at least 90% identity, preferably 95% identity and most preferably at least 97% identity between the sequences. *See* J. Sambrook et al., Molecular Cloning, A Laboratory Manual (2d Ed. 1989) (Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory) which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

"Identity" as the term is used herein, refers to a polynucleotide sequence which comprises a percentage of the same bases as a reference polynucleotide (SEQ ID NOS:1-16). For example, a polynucleotide which is at least 90% identical to a reference polynucleotide, has polynucleotide bases which are identical in 90% of the bases which make up the reference polynucleotide and may have different bases in 10% of the bases which comprise that polynucleotide sequence.

The present invention relates to polynucleotides which differ from the reference polynucleotide such that the differences are silent changes, for example, the amino acid sequence encoded by both polynucleotides is the same. The present invention also relates to nucleotide changes which result in amino acid substitutions, additions, deletions, fusions and truncations in the polypeptide encoded by the reference polynucleotide. In a preferred aspect of the invention these polypeptides retain the same biological action as the polypeptide encoded by the reference polynucleotide.

The polynucleotides of this invention were recovered from genomic gene libraries from the organisms listed in Table 1. Gene libraries were generated in the Lambda ZAP II

cloning vector (Stratagene Cloning Systems). Mass excisions were performed on these libraries to generate libraries in the pBluescript phagemid. Libraries were generated and excisions were performed according to the protocols/methods hereinafter described.

The excision libraries were introduced into the *E. coli* strain BW14893 F'kan1A. Expression clones were then identified using a high temperature filter assay using phosphatase buffer containing 1 mg/ml BCIP (5-Bromo-4-chloro-3-indolyl phosphate). Expression clones encoding BCIPases were identified and repurified from the following organisms: *Ammonifex degensii* KC4, *Methanococcus igneus* KoL5, *Thermococcus alcaliphilus* AED112RA, *Thermococcus celer*, *Thermococcus* GU5L5, *OC9a*, M11TL, *Thermococcus* CL-2 and *Aquifex* VF-5.

Expression clones were identified by use of a high temperature filter assay with either acid phosphatase buffer or alkaline phosphatase buffer containing BCIP. Metcalf, *et al.*, Evidence for two phosphonate degradative pathways in Enterobacter Aerogenes, J. Bacteriol., 174:2501-2510 (1992)).

BCIPase activity was tested as follows: An excision library was introduced into the *E. Coli* strain BW14893 F'kan, a $pho^{-}pnh^{-}lac^{-}$ strain. After growth on 100 mm LB plates containing 100 μg/ml ampicillin, 80 μg/ml methicillin and 1mM IPTG, colony lifts were performed using Millipore HATF membrane filters. The colonies transferred to the filters were lysed with chloroform vapor in 150 mm glass petri dishes. The filters were transferred to 100 mm glass petri dishes containing a piece of Whatman 3MM filter paper saturated with either acid phosphatase buffer (see recipe below) or alkaline phosphatase buffer (see recipe below) containing no BCIP. The dish was placed in the oven at 80-

85°C for 30-45 minutes to heat inactivate endogenous *E. coli* phosphatases. The filter bearing lysed colonies were then transferred to a 100 mm glass petri dish containing 3MM paper saturated with either acid phosphatase buffer or alkaline phosphatase buffer containing 1 mg/ml BCIP. The dish was placed in the oven at 80-85°C.

Alkaline Phosphatase Buffer (referenced in Sambrook, J. et al. (1989) *Molecular Cloning, A Laboratory Manual*, p. 1874) includes 100 mM NaCl, 5 mM $MgCl_2$ and 100 mM Tris-HCl (pH 9.5). Clones expressing phosphatase activity (when the alkaline phosphatase buffer was used) were derived from libraries derived from the organism identified above.

Acid Phosphatase Buffer includes 100 mM NaCl, 5 mM $MgCl_2$ and 100 mM Tris-HCL (pH 6.8). Clones expressing phosphatase activity (when the acid phosphatase buffer was used) were derived from the library derived from M11TL.

'Positives' were observed as blue spots on the filter membranes. The following filter rescue technique was used to retrieve plasmid from lysed positive colony.

Filter Rescue Technique: A pasteur pipette (or glass capillary tube) was used to core blue spots on the filter membrane. The small filter disk was placed in an Eppendorf tube containing 20 ul of deionized water. The Eppendorf tube was incubated at 75°C for 5 minutes followed by vortexing to elute plasmid DNA off the filter. Plasmid DNA containing DNA inserts from *Thermococcus alcaliphilus* AEDII12RA was used to transform electrocompetent *E. coli* DH10B cells. Electrocompetent BW14893 F'kan1A *E. coli* cells were used for transformation of plasmid DNA containing inserts from *Ammonifex degensii* KC4, *Methanococcus igneus* KOL5, and *Thermococcus* GU5L5. The filter-lift assay was repeated on

transformation plates to identify 'positives.' The transformation plates were returned to 37°C incubator to regenerate colonies. 3 ml of LBamp liquid was inoculated with repurified positives and incubated at 37°C overnight. Plasmid DNA was isolated from these cultures and plasmid insert were sequenced.

In some instances where the plates used for the initial colony lifts contained non-confluent colonies, a specific colony corresponding to a blue spot on the filter could be identified on a regenerated plate and repurified directly, instead of using the filter rescue technique. This "repurification" protocol was used for plasmid DNA containing inserts from the following: *Ammonifex degensii* KC4, *Thermococcus celer*, M11TL, and *Aquifex* VF-5.

The filter rescue technique was used for DNA from the following organisms: *Ammonifex degensii* KC4, *Methanococcus igneus* KOL5, *Thermococcus alcaliphilus* AED1112RA, *Thermococcus* CL-2, and OC9a.

Phosphatases are a group of key enzymes that remove phosphate groups from organophosphate ester compounds. The most important phosphatases for commercial purposes are alkaline phosphatases, phosphodiesterases, and phytases.

Alkaline phosphatases have several commercial applications, including their use in analytical applications as an enzyme label in ELISA immunoassays and enzyme-linked gene probes, and their use in research applications for removing 5' phosphates in polynucleotides prior to end-labeling and for dephosphorylating vectors prior to insert ligation (see also Current Protocols in Molecular Biology, (John Wiley & Sons) (1995), chapter 3, section 10).

Alkaline phosphatase hydrolyzes monophosphate esters, releasing inorganic phosphate and the cognate alcohol compound. It is non-specific with respect to the alcohol moiety, a feature which accounts for the many uses of this enzyme. The enzyme has a pH optimum between 9 and 10, however, it can also work at neutral pH. (From a study of the enzyme industry conducted by Business Communications, Co., Inc., 25 Van Zant Street, Norwalk, CT 06855, 1995.)

Two sources of alkaline phosphatase dominate and compete in the market: animal, from bovine and calf intestinal mucosa, and bacterial, from *E. coli*. Due to the high turnover number of calf intestinal phosphatase, it is often selected as the label in many enzyme immunoassays. The usefulness of calf alkaline phosphatase is limited by its inherently low thermal stability, which is even further compromised during the chemical preparation of enzyme: antibody conjugates. Bacterial alkaline phosphatase could be an attractive alternative to calf alkaline phosphatase due to bacterial alkaline phosphatase's extreme thermotolerance at temperatures as high as 95°C. (Tomazic-Allen S.J., Recombinant bacterial alkaline phosphatase as an immunodiagnostic enzyme, *Annales de Biologie Clinique*, 1991, 49(5):287-90).

Antibodies generated against the enzymes corresponding to a sequence of the present invention can be obtained by direct injection of the enzymes into an animal or by administering the enzymes to an animal, preferably a nonhuman. The antibody so obtained will then bind the enzymes itself. In this manner, even a sequence encoding only a fragment of the enzymes can be used to generate antibodies binding the whole native enzymes. Such antibodies can then be used to isolate the enzyme from cells expressing that enzyme.

For preparation of monoclonal antibodies, any technique which provides antibodies produced by continuous cell line cultures can be used. Examples include the hybridoma technique (Kohler and Milstein, 1975, Nature, 256:495-497), the trioma technique, the human B-cell hybridoma technique (Kozbor et al., 1983, Immunology Today 4:72), and the EBV-hybridoma technique to produce human monoclonal antibodies (Cole, et al., 1985, in Monoclonal Antibodies and Cancer Therapy, Alan R. Liss, Inc., pp. 77-96).

Techniques described for the production of single chain antibodies (U.S. Patent 4,946,778) can be adapted to produce single chain antibodies to immunogenic enzyme products of this invention. Also, transgenic mice may be used to express humanized antibodies to immunogenic enzyme products of this invention.

Antibodies, as described above, may be employed as a probe to screen a library to identify the above-described activities or cross-reactive activities in gene libraries generated from the organisms described above or other organisms.

Example 1

Bacterial Expression and Purification of Alkaline Phosphatase Enzymes

DNA encoding the enzymes of the present invention, SEQ ID NOS:1 through 16, were initially amplified from a pBluescript vector containing the DNA by the PCR technique using the primers noted herein. The amplified sequences were then inserted into the respective pQE vector listed beneath the primer sequences, and the enzyme was expressed according to the protocols set forth herein. The 5' and 3' oligonucleotide primer sequences used for subcloning and vectors for the respective genes are as follows:

Ammonifex degensii KC4 - 3A1A

5' CCGA GAA TTC ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG GGG GCA GGT CCG AAA AGG 3'
5' CCGA GGA TCC TCA CCG CCC CCT GCG GGT GCG 3'
Vector: pQET3

Methanococcus igneus Ko15 - 9A1A

5' CCGA GAA TTC ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG TTG GAT ATA CTG CTT GTT 3'
5' CCGA CGA TCC TTA TTT TTT AAC CAA ATGT TCC 3'
Vector: pQET3

Thermococcus Alcaliphilus AEDII12RA -18A

5' CCGA CAA TTG ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG ATG ATG GAA TTC ACT CGC 3'
5' CGGA GGA TCC CTA CAG TTC TAA AAG TCT TTT A 3'
Vector: pQET3

Thermococcus Celer 25A1A (incorporating Mfe1 restriction site)

5' CCGA CAA TTG ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG AGA ACC CTG ACA ATA AAC 3'
5' CCGA GGA TCC TTA CAC CCA CAG AAC CCT TAC 3'
Vector pQET3

Thermococcus GU5L5 - 26A1A

5' CCGA GAA TTC ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG AAA GGA AAG TCT CTT GTT 3'
5' CCGA GGA TCC TCA AGC TTC CTG GAG AAT CAA 3'
Vector pQET3

OC9a - 27A3A

5' CCGA GAA TTC ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG CCA AGA AAT ATC GCC GCT 3'
5' CCGA GGA TCC TTA AGG CTT CTC GAG GTG GGG GTT 3'
Vector pQET3

M11 TL - 29A1A (incorporating Mfe1 restriction site)

5' CCGA CAA TTG ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG TAT AAA TGG ATT ATT GAG GG 3'
5' CCGA GGA CTA AAC ATA GTC TAA GTA ATT AGC 3'
Vector pQET3

Thermococcus CL-2 - 30A1A

5' CCGA GAA TTC ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG AGA ATC CTC CTC ACC AAC 3'
5' CCGA GGA TCC TCA CAG GCT CAG AAG CCT TTG 3'
Vector pQET3

Aquifex VF-5 - 34A1A

5' CCGA GAA TTC ATT AAA GAG GAG AAA TTA ACT ATG GAA AAC TTA AAA AAG TAC CT 3'
5' CCGA GGA TCC TCA CCG CCC CCT GCG GGT GCG 3'
Vector pQET3

The restriction enzyme sites indicated correspond to the restriction enzyme sites on the bacterial expression vector indicated for the respective gene (Qiagen, Inc. Chatsworth, CA). The pQE vector encodes antibiotic resistance (Amp^r), a bacterial origin of replication (ori), an IPTG-regulatable promoter operator (P/O), a ribosome binding site (RBS), a 6-His tag and restriction enzyme sites.

The pQE vector was digested with the restriction enzymes indicated. The amplified sequences were ligated into the respective pQE vector and inserted in frame with the sequence

encoding for the RBS. The native stop codon was incorporated so the genes were not fused to the His tag of the vector. The ligation mixture was then used to transform the E. coli strain M15/pREP4 (Qiagen, Inc.) by electroporation. M15/pREP4 contains multiple copies of the plasmid pREP4, which expresses the lacI repressor and also confers kanamycin resistance (Kan^r). Transformants were identified by their ability to grow on LB plates and ampicillin/kanamycin resistant colonies were selected. Plasmid DNA was isolated and confirmed by restriction analysis. Clones containing the desired constructs were grown overnight (O/N) in liquid culture in LB media supplemented with both Amp (100 ug/ml) and Kan (25 ug/ml). The O/N culture was used to inoculate a large culture at a ratio of 1:100 to 1:250. The cells were grown to an optical density 600 ($O.D._{600}$) of between 0.4 and 0.6. IPTG ("Isopropyl-B-D-thiogalacto pyranoside") was then added to a final concentration of 1 mM. IPTG induces by inactivating the lacI repressor, clearing the P/O leading to increased gene expression. Cells were grown an extra 3 to 4 hours. Cells were then harvested by centrifugation.

The primer sequences set out above may also be employed to isolate the target gene from the deposited material by hybridization techniques described above.

Example 2

Isolation of A Selected Clone From the Deposited Genomic Clones

A clone is isolated directly by screening the deposited material using the oligonucleotide primers set forth in Example 1 for the particular gene desired to be isolated. The specific oligonucleotides are synthesized using an Applied Biosystems DNA synthesizer.

The two oligonucleotide primers corresponding to the gene of interest are used to amplify the gene from the deposited material. A polymerase chain reaction is carried out in 25 μl of reaction mixture with 0.1 ug of the DNA of the gene of interest. The reaction mixture is 1.5-5 mM $MgCl_2$, 0.01% (w/v) gelatin, 20 μM each of dATP, dCTP, dGTP,-dTTP, 25 pmol of each primer and 1.25 Unit of Taq polymerase. Thirty cycles of PCR (denaturation at 94°C for 1 min; annealing at 55°C for 1 min; elongation at 72°C for 1 min) are performed with the Perkin-Elmer Cetus 9600 thermal cycler. The amplified product is analyzed by agarose gel electrophoresis and the DNA band with expected molecular weight is excised and purified. The PCR product is verified to be the gene of interest by subcloning and sequencing the DNA product. The ends of the newly purified genes are nucleotide sequenced to identify full length sequences. Complete sequencing of full length genes is then performed by Exonuclease III digestion or primer walking.

Numerous modifications and variations of the present invention are possible in light of the above teachings and, therefore, within the scope of the appended claims, the invention may be practiced otherwise than as particularly described.

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: cDNA

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: GENOMIC DNA

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ACC CTT TAC GTG GTG GCT CCG GAC CGA GAG CGT AGC GCG GCC AGC CAT 144

GCT ATC ACC GTT CAC CGC CCC CTG CGG GTG CGG GAG GCG GGT TTT CGC 192

AGC CCC AGG CTT AAA GGC TGG GTA GTG GAC GGT ACC CCG GCC GAC TGC 240

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GTA GAC TGC CGC ACC GAC CCT CGG GGG AAG GCT TAC TAC TGG ATG GCG 624

GGA GAA CCA TTG GAG CTG GAC GGC AAC GAC TCC GAA ACC GAC GTC TGG 672

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(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

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GGC ATT TAT GAG ATA TTA AAG AAG GTA CCT GAT GTA GTT ATA TCA GGA 288

ATA AAC ATT GGA GAA AAC CTT GGG ACT GAA ATA ACA ACT TCT GGA ACG 336

TTG GGG GCT GCG TTT GAA GGG GCC CAT CAT GGG GCT AAG GCA TTA GCA 384

TCA TCA CTC CAA GTT ACC TCT GAC CAT CTA AAG TTT AAA GAG GGG GAG 432

ACC CCA ATA GAC TTC ACA GTC CCA GCA AGA ATT ACT GCA AAT GTT GTT 480

GAG AAG ATG TTG GAT TAT GAT TTC CCA TGT GAT GTC GTC AAC TTA AAC 528

ATT CCA GAA GGA GCA ACA GAA AAG ACA CCG ATT GAA ATC ACA AGG TTG 576

GCA AGG AAA ATG TAT ACA ACA CAC GTT GAG GAA AGA ATA GAT CCA AGA 624

GGG AGG AGT TAT TAT TGG ATT GAT GGG TAT CCT ATT TTA GAG GAA GAG 672

GAA GAC ACT GAT GTC TAT GTT GTT AGA AGA AAG GGA CAT ATT TCT CTA 720

ACC CCA TTA ACA TTA GAC ACA ACA ATT AAA AAT TTA GAG GAA TTT AAG 768

AAA AAA TAT GAG AGA ATA TTA AAT GAA TGA 798

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:21:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 765 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:21:

ATG ATG ATG GAA TTC ACT CGC GAG GGA ATA AAA GCT GCT GTA GAG GCA 48
CTT CAA GGG TTA GGA GAG ATC TAC GTA GTT GCC CCA ATG TTT CAA AGG 96
AGC GCA AGT GGA AGG GCA ATG ACC ATC CAC AGA CCT CTA AGG GCT AAA 144
AGA ATA AGT ATG AAC GGT GCA AAA GCA GCC TAT GCT TTG GAT GGA ATG 192
CCC GTT GAT TGC GTT ATC TTT GCC ATG GCC AGA TTT GGA GAT TTC GAC 240
CTT GCA ATA AGT GGT GTA AAC TTG GGA GAA AAC ATG AGC ACC GAG ATA 288
ACG GTT TCC GGG ACT GCA AGC GCT GCA ATA GAG GCT GCA ACC CAA GAG 336
ATC CCA AGC ATT CCC ATA AGC CTG GAA GTT AAT AGA GAA AAA CAC AAA 384
TTT GGT GAG GGC GAA GAG ATT GAC TTC TCA GCT GCC AAG TAT TTC CTA 432
AGA AAA ATC GCA ACG GCG GTT TTA AAG AGA GGC CTC CCC AAA GGA GTC 480
GAT ATG CTG AAC GTC AAC GTC CCT TAT GAT GCA AAT GAA AGG ACA GAG 528
ATA GCT TTT ACT CGC CTG GCA AGA AGG ATG TAT AGG CCT TCT ATT GAA 576
GAG CGC ATA GAC CCA AAG GGG AAT CCC TAC TAC TGG ATA GTT GGA ACT 624
CAG TGC CCT AAG GAG GCA TTA GAG CCG GGA ACG GAT ATG TAT GTA GTT 672
AAA GTT GAG AGA AAA GTT AGC GTG ACT CCA ATA AAC ATT GAT ATG ACA 720
GCA AGA GTG AAT TTA GAC GAG ATT AAA AGA CTT TTA GAA CTG TAG 765

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:22:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 816 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:22:

ATG AGA ACC CTG ACA ATA AAC ACT GAC GCG GAG GGG TTC GTT TTG AGG 48

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ATT CTC CTG ACG AAC GAC GAT GGA ATC TAC TCC AAC GGA CTG CGC GCC      96
GCT GTG AAA GCC CTG AGT GAG CTC GGC GAA GTT TAC GTC GTT GCC CCC     144
CTC TTC CAG AGG AGC GCG AGC GGC AGG GCC ATG ACG CTC CAC AGG CCG     192
ATA AGG GCC AAG CGC GTT GAC GTT CCC GGC GCA AAG ATA GCC TAC GGA     240
ATA GAT GGA ACT CCT ACT GAC TGC GTG ATT TTC GCC ATA GCC CGC TTC     288
GGG AGC TTT GGT TTA GCC GTG AGC GGG ATT AAC CTC GGC GAG AAC CTG     336
AGC ACC GAG ATA ACA GTC TCA GGG ACG GCC TCC GCT GCC ATA GAG GCC     384
TCA ACT CAT GGA ATT CCG AGC ATA GCG ATT AGC CTT GAG GTG GAG TGG     432
AAG AAG ACC CTC GGC GAG GGT GAG GGG GTT GAC TTC TCG GTC TCG ACT     480
CAC TTC CTC AAG AGA ATC GCG GGA GCC CTC TTG GAG AGA GGT CTT CCT     528
GAG GGC GTT GAC ATG CTC AAC GTC AAC GTT CCG AGC GAC GCG ACG GAG     576
GAA ACG GAG ATA GCA ATC ACC CGC TTA GCC CGG AAG CGC TAC TCC CCA     624
ACG GTC GAG GAG AGG ATT GAC CCC AAG GGC AAC CCC TAC TAC TGG ATT     672
GTC GGC AAA CTT GTC CAA GAC TTC GAG CCA GGG ACA GAT GCC TAC GCC     720
CTG AAG GTC GAG AGG AAG GTC AGC GTC ACG CCG ATA AAC ATA GAT ATG     768
ACT GCG AGG GTG GAC TTT GAG GAG CTT GTA AGG GTT CTG TGG GTG TAA     816
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:23:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 1494 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:23:

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ATG AAA GGA AAG TCT CTT GTT AGC GGT CTG TTG TTG GGT CTT TTA ATT      48
TTG AGC CTG ATT TCA TTC CAG CCA AGC TTT GCA TAC TCC CCA CAC GGC      96
GGT GTC AAA AAC ATC ATA ATC CTG GTT GGA GAC GGC ATG GGT CTT GGG     144
CAT GTA GAA ATT ACA AAG CTC GTT TAT GGA CAC TTA AAC ATG GAA AAC     192
TTT CCA GTT ACT GGA TTT GAG CTT ACT GAT TCC CTA AGT GGT GAA GTT     240
ACA GAT TCT GCT GCG GCA GGA ACT GCA ATA TCC ACT GGA GCT AAA ACG     288
TAT AAT GGT ATG ATT TCA GTA ACC AAC ATA ACC GGA AAG ATA GTT AAC     336
TTA ACA ACC CTA CTT GAA GTG GCT CAA GAG CTT GGG AAG TCA ACA GGG     384
CTG GTC ACC ACA ACA AGG ATT ACC CAT GCA ACT CCA GCA GTT TTT GCG     432
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TCC CAT GTC CCA GAT AGG GAT ATG GAG GGG GAG ATA CCC AAG CAA CTC 480

ATA ATG CAC AAA GTT AAC GTC TTG TTG GGT GGT GGA AGG GAG AAA TTC 528

GAT GAG AAA AAT TTG GAG CTG GCC AAA AAG CAG GGA TAC AAA GTA GTT 576

TTC ACG AAG GAA GAG CTT GAA AAA GTT GAA GGA GAT TAT GTC CTA GGA 624

CTC TTT GCA GAA AGT CAC ATC CCT TAC GTA TTG GAT AGA AAA CCC GAT 672

GAT GTT GGA CTT TTA GAA ATG GCC AAA AAG GCA ATT TCA ATA CTC GAG 720

AAG AAC CCG AGC GGA TTC TTT CTC ATG GTT GAG GGC GGA AGG ATT GAC 768

CAT GCA GCC CAT GGA AAC GAT GTC GCA TCG GTT GTT GCA GAA ACT AAG 816

GAG TTT GAC GAT GTT GTC AGA TAC GTG CTG GAA TAT CCG AAG AAG AGG 864

GGA GAT ACC TTG GTA ATA GTG CTT GCC GAT CAC GAA ACT GGA GGT CTT 912

GCA ATA GGT CTA ACG TAT GGA AAT GCA ATC GAT GAA GAT GCC ATA AGA 960

AAA ATA AAA GCA AGC ACG TTG AGG ATG CCC AAA GAG GTT AAG GCA GGG 1008

AGT AGT GTA AAA GAG TCC TCA AAG GTA TGC CGG ATT TGT CCC AAC AGA 1056

GGA AGA AGT CAG TAT ATT GAG AAT GCG CTG CAC TCG ACA AAC AAG TAT 1104

GCC CTC TCA AAT GCA GTA GCC GAT GTT ATA AAC AGG CGT ATT GGT GTT 1152

GGA TTC ACC TCC TAT GAG CAT ACA GGA GTT CCA GTT CCG CTC TTA GCT 1200

TAC GGT CCC GGG GCA GAG AAC TTC AGA GGT TTC TTA CAC CAT GTG GAT 1248

ACA GCA AGA TTA GTT GCA AAG TTA ATG CTC TTT GGA AGG AGG AAT ATT 1296

CCA GTT ACC ATT TCA AGC GTG AGC AGT GTT AAG GGA GAC ATA ACC GGT 1344

GAT TAC AGG GTT GAT GAG AAG GAT GCC TAC GTT ACG CTC ATG ATG TTT 1392

CTC GGA GAA AAA GTG GAT AAT GAA ATT GAA AAG AGA GTC GAT ATA GAC 1440

AAC AAC GGC ATG GTT GAC TTA AAT GAC GTC ATG TTG ATT CTC CAG GAA 1488

GCT TGA 1494

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:24:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 1755 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:24:

ATG CCA AGA AAT ATC GCC GCT GTA TGC GCC CTG GCC GCT TTG TTA GGG 48

TCG GCC TGG GCG GCC AAA GTT GCC GTC TAC CCC TAC GAC GGA GCC GCT 96

TTG CTG GCG GGG CAG CGC TTC GAT TTG CGC ATA GAA GCC TCC GAG CTG 144

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AAA GGC AAT TTA AAG GCT TAC CGC ATC ACC CTG GAC GGC CAG CCT CTG     192
GCG GGC CTC GAG CAA ACC GCG CAG GGG GCC GGG CAG GCC GAG TGG ACC     240
CTG CGC GGT GCC TTC CTG CGC CCT GGA AGC CAC ACC CTC GAG GTC AGC     288
CTC ACC GAC GAC GCT GGG GAG AGC AGG AAG AGC GTA CGT TGG GAG GCT     336
CGG CAG AAC CTT CGC TTG CCC CGA GCG GCC AAG AAT GTG ATT CTC TTC     384
ATT GGC GAC GGG ATG GGC TGG AAC ACC CTC AAC GCC GCC CGC ATC ATC     432
GCC AAA GGC TTT AAC CCC GAA AAC GGT ATG CCC AAC GGA AAC CTC GAG     480
ATC GAG AGT GGT TAC GGT GGG ATG GCT ACC GTC ACT ACC GGC AGC TTT     528
GAT AGC TTC ATC GCC GAC TCA GCT AAC TCG GCT TCT TCC ATC ATG ACC     576
GGG CAG AAG GTG CAG GTG AAT GCC CTC AAC GTT TAC CCA TCA AAC CTC     624
AAA GAT ACC CTG GCC TAC CCC CGG ATC GAA ACC CTA GCG GAG ATG CTC     672
AAG CGG GTA CGC GGG GCC AGC ATT GGG GTA GTG ACC ACC ACC TTC GGC     720
ACC GAC GCT ACC CCG GCT TCA CTC AAC GCC CAT ACC CGC CGC CGC GGT     768
GAT TAC CAG GCT ATC GCC GAC ATG TAC TTT GGT AGA GGC GGG TTC GGT     816
GTT CCC TTG GAT GTG ATG CTC TTC GGT GGT TCA CGC GAC TTC ATC CCC     864
CAG AGC ACC CCT GGC TCG CGG CGC AAG GAT AGC ACG GAC TGG ATT GCC     912
GAA TCC CAG AAG CTG GGC TAC ACC TTT GTC AGC ACC CGC AGC GAG CTG     960
CTG GCG GCC AAA CCC ACC GAT AAG CTG TTT GGG CTG TTC AAC ATT GAC    1008
AAC TTC CCC AGC TAC CTA GAC CGC GCA GTG TGG AAG CGG CCC GAG ATG    1056
CTG GGA AGC TTT ACC GAT ATG CCC TAC CTC TGG GAG ATG ACC CAG AAA    1104
GCC GTG GAG GCT CTC TCC AGA AAC GAC AAA GGC TTT TTC TTG ATG GTT    1152
GAG GGG GGA ATG GTG GAT AAG TAC GAG CAC CCC TTG GAC TGG CCC CGC    1200
GCA CTT TGG GAT GTA CTC GAG CTG GAC CGC GCG GTG GCT TGG GCC AAG    1248
GGC TAT GCG GCC TCC CAC CCC GAT ACC CTG GTG ATT GTC ACC GCC GAC    1296
CAC GCT CAC TCG ATC TCG GTG TTT GGC GGT TAC GAC TAC TCC AAG CAG    1344
GGC CGG GAG GGG GTG GGG GTT TAT GAG GCC GCC AAG TTC CCC ACC TAC    1392
GGC GAC AAA AAA GAC GCC AAC GGC TTT CCC TTG CCC GAC ACC ACT CGG    1440
GGA ATC GCG GTA GGC TTC GGG GCC ACG CCG GAT TAC TGT GAA ACC TAC    1488
CGG GGC CGC GAG GTC TAC AAA GAC CCC ACC ATC TCC GAC GGC AAA GGT    1536
GGT TAC GTG GCC AAC CCT GAG GTC TGC AAG GAG CCG GGC CTT CCA ACG    1584
TAC CGG CAA CTC CCA GTA GAT AGC GCC CAG GGC GTG CAC ACG GCT GAT    1632
CCC ATG CCG CTG TTT GCC TTT GGC GTG GGG TCT CAG TTC TTC AAT GGC    1680
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CTC ATC GAC CAG ACC GAG ATC TTC TTC CGC ATG GCC CAG GCC CTA GGG 1728

TTC AAC CCC CAC CTC GAG AAG CCT TAA 1755

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:25:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 912 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:25:

ATG TAT AAA TGG ATT ATT GAG GGT AAG CTT GCC CAA GCA CCT TTT CCA 48

AGC CTA GGT GAA CTA GCC GAT CTC AAA AGA CTT TTC GAC GCC ATT ATT 96

GTT CTT ACA ATG CCG CAT GAA CAA CCG CTT AAT GAG AAA TAT ATC GAG 144

ATA TTA GAG AGC CAT GGA TTC CAA GTC CTC CAT GTC CCC ACG CTC GAC 192

TTT CAT CCT TTA GAA CTC TTC GAC CTT TTG AAA ACA AGC ATA TTC ATT 240

GAT GAA AAC CTG GAG AGA TCC CAC AGA GTG CTT GTC CAC TGC ATG GGA 288

GGC ATA GGC CGG AGC GGG CTT GTA ACT GCT GCG TAC TTA ATA TTC AAA 336

GGT TAT GAT ATT TAC GAC GCG GTA AAG CAT GTG AGA ACG GTA GTG CCT 384

GGT GCT ATT GAA AAC AGA GGG CAA GCG TTA ATG CTT GAG AAC TAC TAT 432

ACC CTG GTC AAA AGT TTC AAC AGA GAG TTG CTG AGA GAC TAC GGG AAG 480

AAA ATT TTC ACG CTC GGT GAC CCG AAG GCG GTT CTC CAC GCT TCT AAG 528

ACG ACT CAG TTC ACG ATT GAA CTC TTA AGC AAC TTA CAC GTC AAC GAG 576

GCG TTT TCA ATC AGT GCG ATG GCT CAA TCA CTG CTC CAC TTT CAC GAC 624

GTA AAA GTC CGC TCT AAA CTG AAA GAA GTA TTC GAA AAC ATG GAA TTC 672

TCA TCC GCC TCA GAG GAG GTT CTG TCA TTT ATT CAC CTA CTC GAT TTC 720

TAT CAG GAT GGC AGG GTT GTT TTA ACC ATT TAC GAT TAT CTC CCC GAT 768

AGG GTG GAT TTG ATT TTA TTG TGT AAG TGG GGT TGT GAT AAA ATA GTT 816

GAA GTC TCG TCT TCA GCG AAG AAA ACC GTT GAG AAG CTT GTA GGA AGA 864

AAG GTT TCC CTA TCC TGG GCT AAT TAC TTA GAC TAT GTT TAG 912

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:26:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 774 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:26:

ATG AGA ATC CTC CTC ACC AAC GAC GAC GGC ATC TAT TCC AAC GGT CTG 48

CGC GCG GCG GTG AAG GGC CTG AGC GAG CTC GGC GAG GTC TAC GTC GTC 96

GCC CCG CTC TTC CAG AGG AGC GCG AGC GGT CGG GCG ATG ACC CTA CAC 144

AGG CCG ATA AGG GCA AAG AGG GTT GAC GTT CCC GGC GCG AAG ATA GCG 192

TAT GGC ATA GAC GGA ACG CCG ACC GAC TGC GTG ATT TTT GCC ATC GCC 240

CGC TTC GGC GAC TTT GAT CTG GCG GTC AGC GGG ATA AAC CTA GGC GAG 288

AAC CTG AGC ACG GAG ATA ACC GTC TCC GGA ACG GCC TCG GCG GCG ATA 336

GAG GCT TCC ACC CAC GGG ATT CCA AGT GTA GCT ATA AGC CTC GAG GTC 384

GAG TGG AAG AAG ACC CTC GGC GAG GGG GAG GGT ATT GAC TTC TCG GTT 432

TCA GCA CAC TTC CTG AGA AGG ATA GCG ACG GCT GTC CTT AAG AAG GGC 480

CTG CCT GAA GGG GTG GAC ATG CTC AAC GTG AAC GTC CCT AGC GAC GCC 528

AGC GAG GGG ACT GAG ATC GCC ATA ACG CGC CTC GCG AGG AAG CGC TAT 576

TCT CCG ACG ATA GAG GAG AGG ATA GAC CCC AAG GGC AAC CCC TAC TAC 624

TGG ATC GTT GGC AGG CTC GTC CAG GAG TTC GAG CCG GGC ACG GAC GCC 672

TAC GCT CTG AAA GTC GAG AGA AAG GTC AGC GTC ACG CCC ATA AAC ATC 720

GAC ATG ACT GCG AGG GTT GAC TTT GAG AAC CTT CAA AGG CTT CTG AGC 768

CTG TGA 774

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:27:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 795 NUCLEOTIDES
(B) TYPE: NUCLEIC ACID
(C) STRANDEDNESS: SINGLE
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: genomic DNA

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:27:

ATG GAA AAC TTA AAA AAG TAC CTA GAA GTT GCA AAA ATA GCC GCG CTC 48

GCG GGT GGG CAG GTT CTG AAA GAA AAC TTC GGA AAG GTA AAA AAG GAA 96

AAC ATA GAG GAA AAA GGG GAA AAG GAC TTT GTA AGT TAC GTG GAT AAA 144

ACT TCA GAG GAA AGG ATA AAG GAG GTG ATA CTC AAG TTC TTT CCC GAT 192

CAC GAG GTC GTA GGG GAA GAG ATG GGT GCG GAG GGA AGC GGA AGC GAA 240

TAC AGG TGG TTC ATA GAC CCC CTT GAC GGC ACA AAG AAC TAC ATA AAC 288

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GGT TTT CCC ATC TTT GCC GTA TCA GTG GGA CTT GTT AAG GGA GAA GAG      336
CCA ATT GTG GGT GCG GTT TAC CTT CCT TAC TTT GAC AAG CTT TAC TGG      384
GGT GCT AAA GGT CTC GGG GCT TAC GTA AAC GGA AAG AGG ATA AAG GTA      432
AAG GAC AAT GAG AGT TTA AAG CAC GCC GGA GTG GTT TAC GGA TTT CCC      480
TCT AGG AGC AGG AGG GAC ATA TCT ATC TAC TTG AAC ATA TTC AAG GAT      528
GTC TTT TAC GAA GTT GGC TCT ATG AGG AGA CCC GGG GCT GCT GCG GTT      576
GAC CTC TGC ATG GTG GCG GAA GGG ATA TTT GAC GGG ATG ATG GAG TTT      624
GAA ATG AAG CCG TGG GAC ATA ACC GCA GGG CTT GTA ATA CTG AAG GAA      672
GCC GGG GGC GTT TAC ACA CTT GTG GGA GAA CCC TTC GGA GTT TCG GAC      720
ATA ATT GCG GGC AAC AAA GCC CTC CAC GAC TTT ATA CTT CAG GTA GCC      768
AAA AAG TAT ATG GAA GTG GCG GTG TGA                                 795
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:28:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 260 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:28:

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Met Arg Gly Ser Gly Val Arg Ile Leu Leu Thr Asn Asp Asp Gly Ile
  1               5                  10                  15

Phe Ala Glu Gly Leu Gly Ala Leu Arg Lys Met Leu Glu Pro Val Ala
            20                  25                  30

Thr Leu Tyr Val Val Ala Pro Asp Arg Glu Arg Ser Ala Ala Ser His
        35                  40                  45

Ala Ile Thr Val His Arg Pro Leu Arg Val Arg Glu Ala Gly Phe Arg
    50                  55                  60

Ser Pro Arg Leu Lys Gly Trp Val Val Asp Gly Thr Pro Ala Asp Cys
65                  70                  75                  80

Val Lys Leu Gly Leu Glu Val Leu Leu Pro Glu Arg Pro Asp Phe Leu
                85                  90                  95

Val Ser Gly Ile Asn Tyr Gly Pro Asn Leu Gly Thr Asp Val Leu Tyr
            100                 105                 110

Ser Gly Thr Val Ser Ala Ala Ile Glu Gly Val Ile Asn Gly Ile Pro
        115                 120                 125

Ser Val Ala Val Ser Leu Ala Thr Arg Arg Glu Pro Asp Tyr Thr Trp
    130                 135                 140

Ala Ala Arg Phe Val Leu Val Leu Leu Glu Glu Leu Arg Lys His Gln
145                 150                 155                 160
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Leu Pro Pro Gly Thr Leu Leu Asn Val Asn Val Pro Asp Gly Val Pro
                165                 170                 175

Arg Gly Val Lys Val Thr Lys Leu Gly Ser Val Arg Tyr Val Asn Val
            180                 185                 190

Val Asp Cys Arg Thr Asp Pro Arg Gly Lys Ala Tyr Tyr Trp Met Ala
        195                 200                 205

Gly Glu Pro Leu Glu Leu Asp Gly Asn Asp Ser Glu Thr Asp Val Trp
    210                 215                 220

Ala Val Arg Glu Gly Tyr Ile Ser Val Thr Pro Val Gln Ile Asp Leu
225                 230                 235                 240

Thr Asn Tyr Gly Phe Leu Glu Glu Leu Lys Lys Trp Arg Phe Lys Asp
                245                 250                 255

Ile Phe Ser Ser
            260
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:29:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 265 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:29:

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Met Leu Asp Ile Leu Leu Val Asn Asp Asp Gly Ile Tyr Ser Asn Gly
                  5                  10                  15

Leu Ile Ala Leu Lys Asp Ala Leu Leu Glu Lys Phe Asn Ala Arg Ile
             20                  25                  30

Thr Ile Val Ala Pro Thr Asn Gln Gln Ser Gly Ile Gly Arg Ala Ile
         35                  40                  45

Ser Leu Phe Glu Pro Leu Arg Ile Thr Lys Thr Lys Leu Ala Asp Gly
     50                  55                  60

Ser Trp Gly Tyr Ala Val Ser Gly Thr Pro Thr Asp Cys Val Ile Leu
 65                  70                  75                  80

Gly Ile Tyr Glu Ile Leu Lys Lys Val Pro Asp Val Val Ile Ser Gly
                 85                  90                  95

Ile Asn Ile Gly Glu Asn Leu Gly Thr Glu Ile Thr Thr Ser Gly Thr
            100                 105                 110

Leu Gly Ala Ala Phe Glu Gly Ala His His Gly Ala Lys Ala Leu Ala
        115                 120                 125

Ser Ser Leu Gln Val Thr Ser Asp His Leu Lys Phe Lys Glu Gly Glu
    130                 135                 140

Thr Pro Ile Asp Phe Thr Val Pro Ala Arg Ile Thr Ala Asn Val Val
145                 150                 155                 160
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Glu Lys Met Leu Asp Tyr Asp Phe Pro Cys Asp Val Val Asn Leu Asn
                165                 170                 175

Ile Pro Glu Gly Ala Thr Glu Lys Thr Pro Ile Glu Ile Thr Arg Leu
            180                 185                 190

Ala Arg Lys Met Tyr Thr Thr His Val Glu Glu Arg Ile Asp Pro Arg
        195                 200                 205

Gly Arg Ser Tyr Tyr Trp Ile Asp Gly Tyr Pro Ile Leu Glu Glu Glu
    210                 215                 220

Glu Asp Thr Asp Val Tyr Val Val Arg Arg Lys Gly His Ile Ser Leu
225                 230                 235                 240

Thr Pro Leu Thr Leu Asp Thr Thr Ile Lys Asn Leu Glu Glu Phe Lys
                245                 250                 255

Lys Lys Tyr Glu Arg Ile Leu Asn Glu
            260                 265
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:30:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 254 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:30:

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Met Met Met Glu Phe Thr Arg Glu Gly Ile Lys Ala Ala Val Glu Ala
                5                  10                  15

Leu Gln Gly Leu Gly Glu Ile Tyr Val Val Ala Pro Met Phe Gln Arg
            20                  25                  30

Ser Ala Ser Gly Arg Ala Met Thr Ile His Arg Pro Leu Arg Ala Lys
        35                  40                  45

Arg Ile Ser Met Asn Gly Ala Lys Ala Ala Tyr Ala Leu Asp Gly Met
    50                  55                  60

Pro Val Asp Cys Val Ile Phe Ala Met Ala Arg Phe Gly Asp Phe Asp
65                  70                  75                  80

Leu Ala Ile Ser Gly Val Asn Leu Gly Glu Asn Met Ser Thr Glu Ile
                85                  90                  95

Thr Val Ser Gly Thr Ala Ser Ala Ala Ile Glu Ala Ala Thr Gln Glu
            100                 105                 110

Ile Pro Ser Ile Pro Ile Ser Leu Glu Val Asn Arg Glu Lys His Lys
        115                 120                 125

Phe Gly Glu Gly Glu Glu Ile Asp Phe Ser Ala Ala Lys Tyr Phe Leu
    130                 135                 140

Arg Lys Ile Ala Thr Ala Val Leu Lys Arg Gly Leu Pro Lys Gly Val
145                 150                 155                 160
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Asp Met Leu Asn Val Asn Val Pro Tyr Asp Ala Asn Glu Arg Thr Glu
                165                 170                 175

Ile Ala Phe Thr Arg Leu Ala Arg Arg Met Tyr Arg Pro Ser Ile Glu
            180                 185                 190

Glu Arg Ile Asp Pro Lys Gly Asn Pro Tyr Tyr Trp Ile Val Gly Thr
        195                 200                 205

Gln Cys Pro Lys Glu Ala Leu Glu Pro Gly Thr Asp Met Tyr Val Val
    210                 215                 220

Lys Val Glu Arg Lys Val Ser Val Thr Pro Ile Asn Ile Asp Met Thr
225                 230                 235                 240

Ala Arg Val Asn Leu Asp Glu Ile Lys Arg Leu Leu Glu Leu
                245                 250
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:31:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 271 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:31:

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Met Arg Thr Leu Thr Ile Asn Thr Asp Ala Glu Gly Phe Val Leu Arg
                5                   10                  15

Ile Leu Leu Thr Asn Asp Asp Gly Ile Tyr Ser Asn Gly Leu Arg Ala
            20                  25                  30

Ala Val Lys Ala Leu Ser Glu Leu Gly Glu Val Tyr Val Val Ala Pro
        35                  40                  45

Leu Phe Gln Arg Ser Ala Ser Gly Arg Ala Met Thr Leu His Arg Pro
    50                  55                  60

Ile Arg Ala Lys Arg Val Asp Val Pro Gly Ala Lys Ile Ala Tyr Gly
65                  70                  75                  80

Ile Asp Gly Thr Pro Thr Asp Cys Val Ile Phe Ala Ile Ala Arg Phe
                85                  90                  95

Gly Ser Phe Gly Leu Ala Val Ser Gly Ile Asn Leu Gly Glu Asn Leu
            100                 105                 110

Ser Thr Glu Ile Thr Val Ser Gly Thr Ala Ser Ala Ala Ile Glu Ala
        115                 120                 125

Ser Thr His Gly Ile Pro Ser Ile Ala Ile Ser Leu Glu Val Glu Trp
    130                 135                 140

Lys Lys Thr Leu Gly Glu Gly Glu Gly Val Asp Phe Ser Val Ser Thr
145                 150                 155                 160

His Phe Leu Lys Arg Ile Ala Gly Ala Leu Leu Glu Arg Gly Leu Pro
                165                 170                 175
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Glu Gly Val Asp Met Leu Asn Val Asn Val Pro Ser Asp Ala Thr Glu
            180                 185                 190

Glu Thr Glu Ile Ala Ile Thr Arg Leu Ala Arg Lys Arg Tyr Ser Pro
        195                 200                 205

Thr Val Glu Glu Arg Ile Asp Pro Lys Gly Asn Pro Tyr Tyr Trp Ile
    210                 215                 220

Val Gly Lys Leu Val Gln Asp Phe Glu Pro Gly Thr Asp Ala Tyr Ala
225                 230                 235                 240

Leu Lys Val Glu Arg Lys Val Ser Val Thr Pro Ile Asn Ile Asp Met
                245                 250                 255

Thr Ala Arg Val Asp Phe Glu Glu Leu Val Arg Val Leu Trp Val
            260                 265                 270
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(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:32:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 497 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:32:

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Met Lys Gly Lys Ser Leu Val Ser Gly Leu Leu Leu Gly Leu Leu Ile
                5                   10                  15

Leu Ser Leu Ile Ser Phe Gln Pro Ser Phe Ala Tyr Ser Pro His Gly
            20                  25                  30

Gly Val Lys Asn Ile Ile Ile Leu Val Gly Asp Gly Met Gly Leu Gly
        35                  40                  45

His Val Glu Ile Thr Lys Leu Val Tyr Gly His Leu Asn Met Glu Asn
    50                  55                  60

Phe Pro Val Thr Gly Phe Glu Leu Thr Asp Ser Leu Ser Gly Glu Val
65                  70                  75                  80

Thr Asp Ser Ala Ala Ala Gly Thr Ala Ile Ser Thr Gly Ala Lys Thr
                85                  90                  95

Tyr Asn Gly Met Ile Ser Val Thr Asn Ile Thr Gly Lys Ile Val Asn
            100                 105                 110

Leu Thr Thr Leu Leu Glu Val Ala Gln Glu Leu Gly Lys Ser Thr Gly
        115                 120                 125

Leu Val Thr Thr Thr Arg Ile Thr His Ala Thr Pro Ala Val Phe Ala
    130                 135                 140

Ser His Val Pro Asp Arg Asp Met Glu Gly Glu Ile Pro Lys Gln Leu
145                 150                 155                 160
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Ile Met His Lys Val Asn Val Leu Leu Gly Gly Gly Arg Glu Lys Phe
165 170 175

Asp Glu Lys Asn Leu Glu Leu Ala Lys Lys Gln Gly Tyr Lys Val Val
180 185 190

Phe Thr Lys Glu Glu Leu Glu Lys Val Glu Gly Asp Tyr Val Leu Gly
195 200 205

Leu Phe Ala Glu Ser His Ile Pro Tyr Val Leu Asp Arg Lys Pro Asp
210 215 220

Asp Val Gly Leu Leu Glu Met Ala Lys Lys Ala Ile Ser Ile Leu Glu
225 230 235 240

Lys Asn Pro Ser Gly Phe Phe Leu Met Val Glu Gly Gly Arg Ile Asp
245 250 255

His Ala Ala His Gly Asn Asp Val Ala Ser Val Val Ala Glu Thr Lys
260 265 270

Glu Phe Asp Asp Val Val Arg Tyr Val Leu Glu Tyr Pro Lys Lys Arg
275 280 285

Gly Asp Thr Leu Val Ile Val Leu Ala Asp His Glu Thr Gly Gly Leu
290 295 300

Ala Ile Gly Leu Thr Tyr Gly Asn Ala Ile Asp Glu Asp Ala Ile Arg
305 310 315 320

Lys Ile Lys Ala Ser Thr Leu Arg Met Pro Lys Glu Val Lys Ala Gly
325 330 335

Ser Ser Val Lys Glu Ser Ser Lys Val Cys Arg Ile Cys Pro Asn Arg
340 345 350

Gly Arg Ser Gln Tyr Ile Glu Asn Ala Leu His Ser Thr Asn Lys Tyr
355 360 365

Ala Leu Ser Asn Ala Val Ala Asp Val Ile Asn Arg Arg Ile Gly Val
370 375 380

Gly Phe Thr Ser Tyr Glu His Thr Gly Val Pro Val Pro Leu Leu Ala
385 390 395 400

Tyr Gly Pro Gly Ala Glu Asn Phe Arg Gly Phe Leu His His Val Asp
405 410 415

Thr Ala Arg Leu Val Ala Lys Leu Met Leu Phe Gly Arg Arg Asn Ile
420 425 430

Pro Val Thr Ile Ser Ser Val Ser Ser Val Lys Gly Asp Ile Thr Gly
435 440 445

Asp Tyr Arg Val Asp Glu Lys Asp Ala Tyr Val Thr Leu Met Met Phe
450 455 460

Leu Gly Glu Lys Val Asp Asn Glu Ile Glu Lys Arg Val Asp Ile Asp
465 470 475 480

Asn Asn Gly Met Val Asp Leu Asn Asp Val Met Leu Ile Leu Gln Glu
485 490 495

Ala
497

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:33:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 584 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:33:

Met Pro Arg Asn Ile Ala Ala Val Cys Ala Leu Ala Ala Leu Leu Gly
5 10 15

Ser Ala Trp Ala Ala Lys Val Ala Val Tyr Pro Tyr Asp Gly Ala Ala
20 25 30

Leu Leu Ala Gly Gln Arg Phe Asp Leu Arg Ile Glu Ala Ser Glu Leu
35 40 45

Lys Gly Asn Leu Lys Ala Tyr Arg Ile Thr Leu Asp Gly Gln Pro Leu
50 55 60

Ala Gly Leu Glu Gln Thr Ala Gln Gly Ala Gly Gln Ala Glu Trp Thr
65 70 75 80

Leu Arg Gly Ala Phe Leu Arg Pro Gly Ser His Thr Leu Glu Val Ser
85 90 95

Leu Thr Asp Asp Ala Gly Glu Ser Arg Lys Ser Val Arg Trp Glu Ala
100 105 110

Arg Gln Asn Leu Arg Leu Pro Arg Ala Ala Lys Asn Val Ile Leu Phe
115 120 125

Ile Gly Asp Gly Met Gly Trp Asn Thr Leu Asn Ala Ala Arg Ile Ile
130 135 140

Ala Lys Gly Phe Asn Pro Glu Asn Gly Met Pro Asn Gly Asn Leu Glu
145 150 155 160

Ile Glu Ser Gly Tyr Gly Gly Met Ala Thr Val Thr Thr Gly Ser Phe
165 170 175

Asp Ser Phe Ile Ala Asp Ser Ala Asn Ser Ala Ser Ser Ile Met Thr
180 185 190

Gly Gln Lys Val Gln Val Asn Ala Leu Asn Val Tyr Pro Ser Asn Leu
195 200 205

Lys Asp Thr Leu Ala Tyr Pro Arg Ile Glu Thr Leu Ala Glu Met Leu
210 215 220

Lys Arg Val Arg Gly Ala Ser Ile Gly Val Val Thr Thr Thr Phe Gly
225 230 235 240

Thr Asp Ala Thr Pro Ala Ser Leu Asn Ala His Thr Arg Arg Arg Gly
245 250 255

Asp Tyr Gln Ala Ile Ala Asp Met Tyr Phe Gly Arg Gly Gly Phe Gly
260 265 270

Val Pro Leu Asp Val Met Leu Phe Gly Gly Ser Arg Asp Phe Ile Pro
275 280 285

Gln Ser Thr Pro Gly Ser Arg Arg Lys Asp Ser Thr Asp Trp Ile Ala
290 295 300

Glu Ser Gln Lys Leu Gly Tyr Thr Phe Val Ser Thr Arg Ser Glu Leu
305 310 315 320

Leu Ala Ala Lys Pro Thr Asp Lys Leu Phe Gly Leu Phe Asn Ile Asp
325 330 335

Asn Phe Pro Ser Tyr Leu Asp Arg Ala Val Trp Lys Arg Pro Glu Met
340 345 350

Leu Gly Ser Phe Thr Asp Met Pro Tyr Leu Trp Glu Met Thr Gln Lys
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Ala Val Glu Ala Leu Ser Arg Asn Asp Lys Gly Phe Phe Leu Met Val
370 375 380

Glu Gly Gly Met Val Asp Lys Tyr Glu His Pro Leu Asp Trp Pro Arg
385 390 395 400

Ala Leu Trp Asp Val Leu Glu Leu Asp Arg Ala Val Ala Trp Ala Lys
405 410 415

Gly Tyr Ala Ala Ser His Pro Asp Thr Leu Val Ile Val Thr Ala Asp
420 425 430

His Ala His Ser Ile Ser Val Phe Gly Gly Tyr Asp Tyr Ser Lys Gln
435 440 445

Gly Arg Glu Gly Val Gly Val Tyr Glu Ala Ala Lys Phe Pro Thr Tyr
450 455 460

Gly Asp Lys Lys Asp Ala Asn Gly Phe Pro Leu Pro Asp Thr Thr Arg
465 470 475 480

Gly Ile Ala Val Gly Phe Gly Ala Thr Pro Asp Tyr Cys Glu Thr Tyr
485 490 495

Arg Gly Arg Glu Val Tyr Lys Asp Pro Thr Ile Ser Asp Gly Lys Gly
500 505 510

Gly Tyr Val Ala Asn Pro Glu Val Cys Lys Glu Pro Gly Leu Pro Thr
515 520 525

Tyr Arg Gln Leu Pro Val Asp Ser Ala Gln Gly Val His Thr Ala Asp
530 535 540

Pro Met Pro Leu Phe Ala Phe Gly Val Gly Ser Gln Phe Phe Asn Gly
545 550 555 560

Leu Ile Asp Gln Thr Glu Ile Phe Phe Arg Met Ala Gln Ala Leu Gly
565 570 575

Phe Asn Pro His Leu Glu Lys Pro
580

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:34:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 301 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:34:

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Met Tyr Lys Trp Ile Ile Glu Gly Lys Leu Ala Gln Ala Pro Phe Pro
                5                  10                  15

Ser Leu Gly Glu Leu Ala Asp Leu Lys Arg Leu Phe Asp Ala Ile Ile
            20                  25                  30

Val Leu Thr Met Pro His Glu Gln Pro Leu Asn Glu Lys Tyr Ile Glu
        35                  40                  45

Ile Leu Glu Ser His Gly Phe Gln Val Leu His Val Pro Thr Leu Asp
    50                  55                  60

Phe His Pro Leu Glu Leu Phe Asp Leu Leu Lys Thr Ser Ile Phe Ile
65                  70                  75                  80

Asp Glu Asn Leu Glu Arg Ser His Arg Val Leu Val His Cys Met Gly
                85                  90                  95

Gly Ile Gly Arg Ser Gly Leu Val Thr Ala Ala Tyr Leu Ile Phe Lys
            100                 105                 110

Gly Tyr Asp Ile Tyr Asp Ala Val Lys His Val Arg Thr Val Val Pro
        115                 120                 125

Gly Ala Ile Glu Asn Arg Gly Gln Ala Leu Met Leu Glu Asn Tyr Tyr
    130                 135                 140

Thr Leu Val Lys Ser Phe Asn Arg Glu Leu Leu Arg Asp Tyr Gly Lys
145                 150                 155                 160

Lys Ile Phe Thr Leu Gly Asp Pro Lys Ala Val Leu His Ala Ser Lys
                165                 170                 175

Thr Thr Gln Phe Thr Ile Glu Leu Leu Ser Asn Leu His Val Asn Glu
            180                 185                 190

Ala Phe Ser Ile Ser Ala Met Ala Gln Ser Leu Leu His Phe His Asp
        195                 200                 205

Val Lys Val Arg Ser Lys Leu Lys Glu Val Phe Glu Asn Met Glu Phe
    210                 215                 220

Ser Ser Ala Ser Glu Glu Val Leu Ser Phe Ile His Leu Leu Asp Phe
225                 230                 235                 240

Tyr Gln Asp Gly Arg Val Val Leu Thr Ile Tyr Asp Tyr Leu Pro Asp
                245                 250                 255

Arg Val Asp Leu Ile Leu Leu Cys Lys Trp Gly Cys Asp Lys Ile Val
            260                 265                 270

Glu Val Ser Ser Ser Ala Lys Lys Thr Val Glu Lys Leu Val Gly Arg
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275 280 285

Lys Val Ser Leu Ser Trp Ala Asn Tyr Leu Asp Tyr Val
290 295 300

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:35:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 257 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:35:

Met Arg Ile Leu Leu Thr Asn Asp Asp Gly Ile Tyr Ser Asn Gly Leu
5 10 15

Arg Ala Ala Val Lys Gly Leu Ser Glu Leu Gly Glu Val Tyr Val Val
20 25 30

Ala Pro Leu Phe Gln Arg Ser Ala Ser Gly Arg Ala Met Thr Leu His
35 40 45

Arg Pro Ile Arg Ala Lys Arg Val Asp Val Pro Gly Ala Lys Ile Ala
50 55 60

Tyr Gly Ile Asp Gly Thr Pro Thr Asp Cys Val Ile Phe Ala Ile Ala
65 70 75 80

Arg Phe Gly Asp Phe Asp Leu Ala Val Ser Gly Ile Asn Leu Gly Glu
85 90 95

Asn Leu Ser Thr Glu Ile Thr Val Ser Gly Thr Ala Ser Ala Ala Ile
100 105 110

Glu Ala Ser Thr His Gly Ile Pro Ser Val Ala Ile Ser Leu Glu Val
115 120 125

Glu Trp Lys Lys Thr Leu Gly Glu Gly Glu Gly Ile Asp Phe Ser Val
130 135 140

Ser Ala His Phe Leu Arg Arg Ile Ala Thr Ala Val Leu Lys Lys Gly
145 150 155 160

Leu Pro Glu Gly Val Asp Met Leu Asn Val Asn Val Pro Ser Asp Ala
165 170 175

Ser Glu Gly Thr Glu Ile Ala Ile Thr Arg Leu Ala Arg Lys Arg Tyr
180 185 190

Ser Pro Thr Ile Glu Glu Arg Ile Asp Pro Lys Gly Asn Pro Tyr Tyr
195 200 205

Trp Ile Val Gly Arg Leu Val Gln Glu Phe Glu Pro Gly Thr Asp Ala
210 215 220

Tyr Ala Leu Lys Val Glu Arg Lys Val Ser Val Thr Pro Ile Asn Ile

225 230 235 240

Asp Met Thr Ala Arg Val Asp Phe Glu Asn Leu Gln Arg Leu Leu Ser
245 250 255

Leu

(2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:36:

(i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS
(A) LENGTH: 264 AMINO ACIDS
(B) TYPE: AMINO ACID
(D) TOPOLOGY: LINEAR

(ii) MOLECULE TYPE: PROTEIN

(xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION: SEQ ID NO:36:

Met Glu Asn Leu Lys Lys Tyr Leu Glu Val Ala Lys Ile Ala Ala Leu
5 10 15

Ala Gly Gly Gln Val Leu Lys Glu Asn Phe Gly Lys Val Lys Lys Glu
20 25 30

Asn Ile Glu Glu Lys Gly Glu Lys Asp Phe Val Ser Tyr Val Asp Lys
35 40 45

Thr Ser Glu Glu Arg Ile Lys Glu Val Ile Leu Lys Phe Phe Pro Asp
50 55 60

His Glu Val Val Gly Glu Glu Met Gly Ala Glu Gly Ser Gly Ser Glu
65 70 75 80

Tyr Arg Trp Phe Ile Asp Pro Leu Asp Gly Thr Lys Asn Tyr Ile Asn
85 90 95

Gly Phe Pro Ile Phe Ala Val Ser Val Gly Leu Val Lys Gly Glu Glu
100 105 110

Pro Ile Val Gly Ala Val Tyr Leu Pro Tyr Phe Asp Lys Leu Tyr Trp
115 120 125

Gly Ala Lys Gly Leu Gly Ala Tyr Val Asn Gly Lys Arg Ile Lys Val
130 135 140

Lys Asp Asn Glu Ser Leu Lys His Ala Gly Val Val Tyr Gly Phe Pro
145 150 155 160

Ser Arg Ser Arg Arg Asp Ile Ser Ile Tyr Leu Asn Ile Phe Lys Asp
165 170 175

Val Phe Tyr Glu Val Gly Ser Met Arg Arg Pro Gly Ala Ala Ala Val
180 185 190

Asp Leu Cys Met Val Ala Glu Gly Ile Phe Asp Gly Met Met Glu Phe
195 200 205

Glu Met Lys Pro Trp Asp Ile Thr Ala Gly Leu Val Ile Leu Lys Glu
210 215 220

Ala Gly Gly Val Tyr Thr Leu Val Gly Glu Pro Phe Gly Val Ser Asp

225 230 235 240

Ile Ile Ala Gly Asn Lys Ala Leu His Asp Phe Ile Leu Gln Val Ala
245 250 255

Lys Lys Tyr Met Glu Val Ala Val
260

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181 AGC ATC ACA AGG AAC ATC ATG AGG AGC ACC ACA AGG AGC ACG ACT AAC AAC ACT CTT AGA
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301 CCG AGA CCC ACA TTC CAA CAT TAC TCC GTT TGT CAC TAT CAT GTT CTA ATT GTC ACA CGC
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361 CCC GTA TAA ATT GGG GGA CCT GGA GGA AGC GTT GCC GGT GAC CCC GCG TGG CCA AGA AGG
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421 CTG TCT GCC CAA TAT GCG GTG GCG ATG TTG AAC TAC CCG ATA ACG TAA TGG ATG GCG AGA
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541 TAG AGC AGT TGG AGC GCG TTG AGG AGG ACT GGG GAG AGT AGA GGC TAT GCG CAT AGC AAT
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601 CGT TTA TGA CCA TCC GCG TGT TGA GGA GAA GAG GTT AGC TGA GGA AGC GAG GAA GCT TGG
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661 TCA CGA ACC TGT CCT CTT TAA TAT TGA CTC GTT GCT CTT TCG CCT TGA TAG CCT GGA GCG
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721 CAT TCT AGG CGA TGT TGA TGT AGT ACT TCA GAG GGC GGT GAG TTA CTT CAA GGC TCT CGA
780

781 GTC TAC AAG GAT ACT CGA GGC TGC CGG CTA CAC TGT CAT CAA CAA TAG TTT AGT GCA GCT
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841 TAA CTG CGG CGA CAA ACT ATT GAC AAC GAT CTT GCT TGC TAA GCA TGG TGT GCC AAC ACC
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901 GCG TGC ATA CGC TGC TTT TTC GCG TGA CAC TGC TGT GCG GGC TGC AGA GGA GCT TGG ATA
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1021 CAG GGA GAG TCT AGA GGC TGT GAT AGA GCA TAG AGA GGT TCT CGG CCC GGC TTA CTA CAA
1080

1081 GGT TCA TTA TGT GCA AGA GTA TGT GCG CAA GCC TCT ACG TGA CAT ACG CGT ATT CGT GAT
1140

1141 TGG TGA TGA GGT TCC CGT GGC GAT ATA CAG GGT TAA CGA GCG TCA TTG GAA GAC TAA CAC
1200

1201 GGC ACT AGG CGC CAA GGC CGA GCC TGC GCC AGT GAC CCC CGA GTT ACG TGA GTT AGC GCT
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1261 TCG CGC GGC CAA GGC TGT GGG TGG CGG TGT GCT TGG TAT AGA TGT GTT TGA AGA CCC GGA
1320

1321 GAG AGG CCT CCT CGT GAA CGA GAT TAA CGC GAA CTC GGA CTT CAA GAA CAC TGA GAG GGT
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1381 GAC CGG GTT TAA CAT GGC TAG GGC TAT CGT CGA GTA TGC AGT GTC GGT CGC GAA GAG GTG
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1441 AAT GGA ATG GAT AGG GTA GAG GTG CTT CTG GAT GAG GCT AGG CGT GGC GCT ATA GAG GGT
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1501 GAC GCT CGC CGC GCA TGT GAA GCG GCA TTA AGG CTG GTT GAC GTT GTG CTC CGC GAG GGG
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1561 CCT AGG GTT GCA CAG GAG TCT GGG CGT GGG ATT GAA CCC GGT GAT GTA CTA CTA GCT GAG
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1621 GCT CTG AGC TTG AGA GCA GAG CAG GTG AAG GAG GAG CCC AAG GCG GAC AAT TGT CTG GAG
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1681 CTC GCA AAG GCT GCA TTC CGC CTC TAT AAG CGG CTC CAG GGG ATG GAG TAA AGT TCG CAG
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1801 CAC GTT GCT GGC GCG AGC TGA GAA ACG ACC TCG AGA TGA TAC CCG AGA TCG TCG AGA AGC
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1861 AGA TCG AGG AGA CGA TAG TGC CGG AGG GTC TTG GCG AGC AAC GAC TTG TGT TCA TTG GCA
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1921 GCG GTG ATT CTT TCG CGG CCG CAC TTG TAG CCG AGC ATG CCG GCA TAG GCG TCG CAC GCG
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1981 ATC CTC TTG ATG TGC TAG TGG CTG GCG TTG ATG GGC CTG GCG ACG CTA TAC TCC TAA GCG
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2041 TTG GTG GGC GCT CAA AAC GAG TTG TTG ACG CGG CTC GTT TCC TGT CTT CAC GTG GCT TTC
2100

2101 GTA TCA TAG CGG TCA CGG GTA ACG AGA GGA GTC CTC TCG CAC GCA CAG CAC ACG TTA CCG
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2161 TGA AGC TCG TCT ATT CTG ACC TCG CCT GTG GCA TGG GCG CCG CAC GCC ATG TCG CTA TGC
2220

2221 TTG CAG CGC TCT CCG CAT TGT TCA ACG CTA GAC CTC GTA TAC CCG AGA AGC TTG TTG AGG
2280

2281 AGC CCC TGC CTT TCG ACC CTC AGG CTG TGT ACG CGG GTG TGG GCG TTG GTG TAG CCT CTG
2340

2341 CCC TGT TCA TGG TGT TGA AGA TCT GCG AGT TGC TCG CAG ACT GCG CCA CCT GGT GGC ATC
2400

2401 TAG AGC AGT TCG CAC ACG CAC CTG TCT ATG GCA CGA GAA GCA ATA TAC TCG TCG TGT ATC
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2461 CGA TCC TCG TTG TGA GAG GAG CAC GCT AGA GGA GTA TCT CTC GGC CTT CCG GGA GGC CGG
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2521 GTT TGA GGT CAC CAC TGT ACC CGT GTT GAA CGA CCC TTG GTC TAC AGC TAT TCT CCA CGC
2580

2581 TAC GCT GGC CAT CTC CAG TGC TGC AGA GAC CGC CTT CAG TCG CGG CAT TGA GGA GCC GGG
2640

2641 ATA TCG TGC ACA TCC CGC GCT TAG CAG GCT AAC CAG GCT GAT CTA CCT AGA GGA GTA GAA
2700

2701 CCT CTC GAG GAC CGG TAT GTA GTG GTC TAG AGG CTT CCC GTC ATG GTG TAT CGC GAG GCC
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2761 TAT TCC TGC TCT CCT CGC GCC TTC CAC GTT GGG CTC ATA ATC ATC TAT GAA TGC TGT TTT
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2821 CGC TGG GTC CGC GCG AAG GAG TTG CAT CGC CGC CTC GTA TAT CTT TGT GTG TGG CTT GCA
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2881 AAA GCC GAC AAT ATC CCT CGT AAC CAC CGT ATC CAC GAG GTG GGC TAG ATC GTC ACG CTC
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2941 TAG AAG TAG ACG TAC GCA TTC GTA GCA CCA GTT GTT CGA GAC TAT GCC GAC CAG TAT CCC
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3001 GTT TCT CTT GGC CCA TCT TAG CAG CTC GTA TGT ACC CGG TGC TAC GTA TAC GCC AGA CAG
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3061 CAC AGC TGA TTG CAA TAC CCT TGC TAA TGC CTC TGC CCT TGA GGG GGT CGG CGT CAA GCC
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3481 CTA TCT CGT CGC CCT CCT CGG CCG CCT CCA CGA GCT CTG GGA GCA CTA TAA CGG GGA GCC
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3541 CGT TGT TAA TCG CGT TAC GGT AGA ATA TTC TCG AGA AGC TCT TCG CTA TGA TGG CCT TGA
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3601 CGC CTG CAG CCT TGA GAG CTA TCG CGG CTT GCT CCC TGC TAC TAC CCA TAC CAA AGT TCC
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3661 TAC CCG CGA CCA GCA CTA CAC CCT TGG ACG CCT TCT TGG GGA ACT CCG GAT CCA GAG GCT
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3780

3781 TCA CGT CGG TGT TGA TGT TAT TGC CGT AAT TGA GCA CAG GGC CCT TCA CGA CAC CCA GGT
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3841 TCA AGA GAG GTT CAC CAC AAG TTT GGC CTC GCT ATC CCA GGC TAT AAT CCA GCT GTT TAC
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3901 TCG GCC AGC TTC ACC CAC ACA CTT TTC AAC TCC ATT ATC CTT GTA GCG CAA TCT ACC CTT
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3961 CTG GGT AGC ACA GCG TTA AGC CCA TAG TGC CAA GGC GCC ACA ATG ATG CCC TCC GGC ACA
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4021 TTC TCG TCG GGT ATC AGC CGG AGG CGT ATG GCC CCT CTC TCC GTC TCG AGC CTA GCG TGA
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4081 CCG GCG CCA GCC TCC TTA GGG TTG ACT CGT GCG TAT AGC TCG CCG CTC ACA TCT AGC ATC
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4141 GCG TTT GTA CAG TAG CTC ACC GGG TCT CTT GCA GTC ACG AGC ACC TTC CTA TCA CCA TCG
4200

4201 GGC ACG ACC GGC TCG ACC GGC GGG TAT AGA CGG ACG CGT ATC CTC GAG ACA CGC CTG GGC
4260

4261 AGG AGG TAC TCG CCT CTC TCC GCA ACC GCC TTG GAG GAA 4299

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 121  TAG AGG CCT TAC ATT AAA ACG AAA AGT AGA AGA GGA ACA ATG ACC CCC GAA GAG CTC CTA
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 181  ACC CGC CTC GAA TTC AAA GGA GTA ACC CTC GAA AAG ATG CTC AAT ACT GCG TTA GAG CTC
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 241  TAC ATC GGC GAC GAG CGC GAG AAA GTT CGA GAA AGG CTG AGA GAG CTG ATG CTG AGG TAT
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 301  CTG GGC GAC ATC AAC GTT CAA GCT CTG CTC TTT TCG GCT CTA CTG CTC GAA GAG AAC TTC
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 361  AAG GTT GAG GGC GAC CCC GTG AAC CTT GTG GCC GAC GAG CTC ATC GGC ATG AAC ATC GCC
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 421  GAG CTC ATA GGT GGA AAG ATG GCG CTC TTC AAC TTC TTC TAC TAC GAC ACC AAG AAG CCC
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 541  TGT ATG ACA AGG CTG TTC GAG GGG GTG TAC GGT GCG GAA TCT CTT ACC CTT CTT CAC GCG
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 601  GAT TCC GGT CAA AGG CAA CTT CAA AAG GGT TAG AAA TGA GCT CTG GGC ACT TCC CAT TCT
660

 661  CGC ACC GGT AAC TTC GGC CCT GGC GAC GCT CGT GGG CTC TGT GCT CGC CGG GGT AAT AAT
720

 721  CCT GGG CGG CAA CTA CGC GTT TCA CCC AAC GTC TCG GCA ACC CAC GTG CTG ATA ACC CTC
780

 781  ATA GGC TTC GTC GTG GTC TAC AGC ATA CTG TTC TAC ATC TGG CTC CAC TTC GTC AGG AAG
840

 841  CTC ATC AGG GAG GGC CCC GAA CCG GTT GAG GGT GAC GTC ACC GCG AAG CCG ACC CCT GCC
900

 901  GTT AGC GCC GCG GGA GGT GGT CAG TGA TGG ACT ACG CGA CCG CAT GGT TTT ACT TCT CCG
960

 961  CCT TCC TCC TCG GAA TGT ACT TAG CGT TTG ATG GCT TCG ACC TTG GCA TAG GCG CGT TGC
1020

1021  TCG CCC TGA TTA AGG ACC AGA GGG AGC GCG ACA TAC TCG TGA ACA CCA TCG CGC CGG TCT
1080

1081  GGG ACG GCA ACG AGG TCT GGT TCA TCA CCT GGG GTG CCG GGC TCT TCG CGA TGT GGC CGG
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3001 GCC ATA CGA AAA TTC CAA TGC CCA AAT CCT GGT AAA TGT ACT TTT TCA TAG TAA ATG CTG
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3061 CCA AAC CCA GAT TAA ACT CAA TTT CAT CAA CAG GAA AAA GAA AGA ACG AAA AAA AGA CCT
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3121 ACA ACA GTC CTA TAA TTG ACC AAA CTT GAT AGA TTA CAA ACA CCA CAG TTG GAA TCA AAG
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3181 CAC AGA TGA AAG CTT TCC GGA TTC CTG CAG CC 3212

Methanococcus thermolithoautotrophicus SN1 (14ph1)

Nucleic acid-SEQ ID NO:41
Amino acid-SEQ ID NO:42

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     1  ATG GAA ATA ATA AAC AAA TTT CTA AAA AAA ATT GGA TAT AAG AAA GAT GGA GAA GAA AAA
 60
     1  Met Glu Ile Ile Asn Lys Phe Leu Lys Lys Ile Gly Tyr Lys Lys Asp Gly Glu Glu Lys
 20

    61  AAG GAC AAA TCT AAA ACC AAA ATA AAA ATT GAA GAA GAA AAA ACC ATG GAT ATC GAA ATT
120
    21  Lys Asp Lys Ser Lys Thr Lys Ile Lys Ile Glu Glu Glu Lys Thr Met Asp Ile Glu Ile
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   121  CCA AAA ATT GAA CCT ACT GAA AAT TTT AAT CGT GAT GAA ATT GTT TTT GAG GAA GAT AAT
180
    41  Pro Lys Ile Glu Pro Thr Glu Asn Phe Asn Arg Asp Glu Ile Val Phe Glu Glu Asp Asn
 60

   181  GCC TAC GGT ATA TCC CAC AAA GGA AAT AGA ACA AAC AAC GAA GAC AAT ATT TTA ATT AGA
240
    61  Ala Tyr Gly Ile Ser His Lys Gly Asn Arg Thr Asn Asn Glu Asp Asn Ile Leu Ile Arg
 80

   241  AAA ATA AAA GAT ACC TAC ATA TTA GCA GTT GCA GAT GGT GTC GGA GGG CAC AGC TCA GGA
300
    81  Lys Ile Lys Asp Thr Tyr Ile Leu Ala Val Ala Asp Gly Val Gly Gly His Ser Ser Gly
100

   301  GAT GTT GCA TCA AAG ATG GCA GTG GAT ATT TTA GAA AAC ATT ATC ATG GAA AAA TAC AAT
360
   101  Asp Val Ala Ser Lys Met Ala Val Asp Ile Leu Glu Asn Ile Ile Met Glu-Lys Tyr Asn
120

   361  GAA AAC CTA TCA ATT GAA GAG ATA AAA GAA CTT TTA AAA GAT GCA TAC ATT ACG GCA CAC
420
   121  Glu Asn Leu Ser Ile Glu Glu Ile Lys Glu Leu Leu Lys Asp Ala Tyr Ile Thr Ala His
140

   421  AAC AAA ATA AAA GAA AAC GCT ATT GGA GAT AAA GAG GGA ATG GGA ACA ACA CTA ACA ACT
480
   141  Asn Lys Ile Lys Glu Asn Ala Ile Gly Asp Lys Glu Gly Met Gly Thr Thr Leu Thr Thr
160

   481  GCA ATA GTT AAA GGG GAT AAA TGC GTT ATA GCA AAC TGC GGG GAT AGT AGG GCT TAT TTA
540
   161  Ala Ile Val Lys Gly Asp Lys Cys Val Ile Ala Asn Cys Gly Asp Ser Arg Ala Tyr Leu
180

   541  ATT AGA GAT GGA GAA ATA GTT TTT AGA ACA AAA GAC CAC TCT TTG GTT CAG GTT TTA GTA
600
   181  Ile Arg Asp Gly Glu Ile Val Phe Arg Thr Lys Asp His Ser Leu Val Gln Val Leu Val
200
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   601  GAT GAA GGA CAT ATT TCA GAG GAG GAC GCA AGG CAT CAT CCA ATG AAA AAT ATC ATT ACC
660
   201  Asp Glu Gly His Ile Ser Glu Glu Asp Ala Arg His His Pro Met Lys Asn Ile Ile Thr
220

   661  TCA GCA TTG GGA TTG GAT GAA TTT AAG GTA GAT GAT TAC GAA TGG GAT TTA ATT GAT GGT
720
   221  Ser Ala Leu Gly Leu Asp Glu Phe Lys Val Asp Asp Tyr Glu Trp Asp Leu Ile Asp Gly
240

   721  GAT GTA TTA TTG ATG AGC TCC GAT GGG CTT CAT GAT TAT GTC AGT AAG GAA GAT ATT TTA
780
   241  Asp Val Leu Leu Met Ser Ser Asp Gly Leu His Asp Tyr Val Ser Lys Glu Asp Ile Leu
260

   781  AAA ACT GTA AAA AAT AAT GAT CAC CCA AAA GAT ATT GTA GAT GAA TTA TTC AAT ACT GCA
840
   261  Lys Thr Val Lys Asn Asn Asp His Pro Lys Asp Ile Val Asp Glu Leu Phe Asn Thr Ala
280

   841  TTA AAA GAG ACA AGG GAC AAT GTG AGT ATT ATT CGT ATA 879
   281  Leu Lys Glu Thr Arg Asp Asn Val Ser Ile Ile Arg Ile 293
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Pyrolobus fumarius 1A (1ph1)

SEQ ID NO:43 -Nucleic acid

SEQ ID NO:44-amino acid

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   1  ATG ACT CTG CTA GCC CTG TAT CAG AAT AAA CGT GTT ATC GTC AAG CTT GGC TGG GGG AGC
 60
   1  Met Thr Leu Leu Ala Leu Tyr Gln Asn Lys Arg Val Ile Val Lys Leu Gly Trp Gly Ser
 20

  61  GGC ACT AGC CAA ATA ACT AAC GAG GCG CAA GTG CTG AGC GTA TTG CAC GAT ATG CCT ATA
120
  21  Gly Thr Ser Gln Ile Thr Asn Glu Ala Gln Val Leu Ser Val Leu His Asp Met Pro Ile
 40

 121  GTG CCC AGA CTG CAT ACC CGT CTA GAC TTA GAT GAT GTC AAG CTC GTT GCG ATA GAG TAC
180
  41  Val Pro Arg Leu His Thr Arg Leu Asp Leu Asp Asp Val Lys Leu Val Ala Ile Glu Tyr
 60

 181  ATA CCC TAC AAG AGC CTT AAC GCC GTC GGC CGC TTG AAC CCC CTT AAG GCT GTC ACA GCC
240
  61  Ile Pro Tyr Lys Ser Leu Asn Ala Val Gly Arg Leu Asn Pro Leu Lys Ala Val Thr Ala
 80

 241  GTC TTC TAT ACA CTC GCA TCG CTA GTC CAT ATC CAC GGC CGT GGT TTT GCT CAT TGC GAC
300
  81  Val Phe Tyr Thr Leu Ala Ser Leu Val His Ile His Gly Arg Gly Phe Ala His Cys Asp
100

 301  CTA AAG CCG GGT AAC GTT ATA CCA GTT CCC AAG CGT GGC ATG GTG TTC ATC GAC TTT GGT
360
 101  Leu Lys Pro Gly Asn Val Ile Pro Val Pro Lys Arg Gly Met Val Phe Ile Asp Phe Gly
120

 361  GTT GCA CGA CCT TTT GAC GCT GCG GGC TTC GCG GCA GGA ACA CCA GGG TAT ACG TGC CCA
420
 121  Val Ala Arg Pro Phe Asp Ala Ala Gly Phe Ala Ala Gly Thr Pro Gly Tyr Thr Cys Pro
140

 421  GAG GCT CTC GGC GGC GAG ACC CCC GGC TCT GGC TGC GAT CTC TAC AGC CTT GCC GGC ATA
480
 141  Glu Ala Leu Gly Gly Glu Thr Pro Gly Ser Gly Cys Asp Leu Tyr Ser Leu Ala Gly Ile
160

 481  TAC TAC TAC TTG GTT ACC GGG TTA AGC CCG CCA CGG GAC CCA AAA GAG TTC GCC AAG GCG
540
 161  Tyr Tyr Tyr Leu Val Thr Gly Leu Ser Pro Pro Arg Asp Pro Lys Glu Phe Ala Lys Ala
180

 541  CTC TCG TTG GCT CCC GCT CCA AGT AGC CTC TTG GAA CTG TTC ACA CAG CTG GTG CTG GAT
600
 181  Leu Ser Leu Ala Pro Ala Pro Ser Ser Leu Leu Glu Leu Phe Thr Gln Leu Val Leu Asp
200

 601  CCC GAG TAT CGT AAC AGC CTT GAT CCT CTC CAG CTG TTG AAG ATT GTT GCA TCT TTT AAC
660
 201  Pro Glu Tyr Arg Asn Ser Leu Asp Pro Leu Gln Leu Leu Lys Ile Val Ala Ser Phe Asn
220

 661  CCG CAA CTG CTA GTC CCT CAT ATC GTT ATA GAT GGT GTT TAC AAG CCG CTA GGT TAC GGC
720
 221  Pro Gln Leu Leu Val Pro His Ile Val Ile Asp Gly Val Tyr Lys Pro Leu Gly Tyr Gly
240

 721  GAG GTA AGC ATA GGC TCT AGA GGC GTT ATA CGT GTT GAT GGA CGA CCA GTG TAC CTC GCG
780
 241  Glu Val Ser Ile Gly Ser Arg Gly Val Ile Arg Val Asp Gly Arg Pro Val Tyr Leu Ala
260

 781  GTT AAG AGG CAT GTG AGG GGC ACA AGT ATG TAC GCG TAT ACG GAT CTT GTC GTG TTT AGG
840
 261  Val Lys Arg His Val Arg Gly Thr Ser Met Tyr Ala Tyr Thr Asp Leu Val Val Phe Arg
280
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   841  AGA GGC GAG AAA CTC ATA GTG AGA AGC GGT GAG AGT ATA GAC CTA GAG TTT AAC GAC CTG -
900
   281  Arg Gly Glu Lys Leu Ile Val Arg Ser Gly Glu Ser Ile Asp Leu Glu Phe Asn Asp Leu
300

   901  GTG TTG TTC GAC AAC CAC ATA CTA TAC GTA TTT ATC CTT CCG GAA AGG CCC 951
   301  Val Leu Phe Asp Asn His Ile Leu Tyr Val Phe Ile Leu Pro Glu Arg Pro 317
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Thermococcus celer (25ph2)

SEQ ID NO:45-nucleic acid

SEQ ID NO:46-amino acid

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     1  ATG GAC ATC AGG GCC GTT GTT TTT GAC CTC GAC GGG ACG CTT GTG GGT GCT GAG AAG ACT
60
     1  Met Asp Ile Arg Ala Val Val Phe Asp Leu Asp Gly Thr Leu Val Gly Ala Glu Lys Thr
20

    61  TTC AGC GAG ATA AAG TCC GAG CTT AAA GAA CGG CTG ATT TCC TTA GGG ATT CCC AGG GAG
120
    21  Phe Ser Glu Ile Lys Ser Glu Leu Lys Glu Arg Leu Ile Ser Leu Gly Ile Pro Arg Glu
40

   121  CTC GTT GGA GAG CTA ACG CCG ATG TAT GAG GGC CTT ATC GAG CTG TCC AGA AAA ACG GGC
180
    41  Leu Val Gly Glu Leu Thr Pro Met Tyr Glu Gly Leu Ile Glu Leu Ser Arg Lys Thr Gly
60

   181  AGA CCT TTC GAA GAG ATG TAC TCA ATT CTC GTC AAT CTT GAA GTT GAA AGG ATA AGG GAC
240
    61  Arg Pro Phe Glu Glu Met Tyr Ser Ile Leu Val Asn Leu Glu Val Glu Arg Ile Arg Asp
80

   241  AGC TTT CTC TTC GAG GGG GCA AGG GAG CTC CTC GAC TTT CTT GTG GGG GAG GGA ATA AAG
300
    81  Ser Phe Leu Phe Glu Gly Ala Arg Glu Leu Leu Asp Phe Leu Val Gly Glu Gly Ile Lys
100

   301  CTT GCC CTC ATG ACC CGG AGC TCC AGA ATG GCT GCC CTT GAG GCC CTG GAG CTT CAC GGC
360
   101  Leu Ala Leu Met Thr Arg Ser Ser Arg Met Ala Ala Leu Glu Ala Leu Glu Leu His Gly
120

   361  ATT AAG GAC TAC TTT GAG ATT ATT TCA ACG AGG GAT GAT GTC CCT CCC GAG GAG CTG AAA
420
   121  Ile Lys Asp Tyr Phe Glu Ile Ile Ser Thr Arg Asp Asp Val Pro Pro Glu Glu Leu Lys
140

   421  CCG AAT CCT GGC CAG CTG AGG AGA ATC CTC GGT GAG CTC AAC GTT CAA CCA GAG AAA GCC
480
   141  Pro Asn Pro Gly Gln Leu Arg Arg Ile Leu Gly Glu Leu Asn Val Gln Pro Glu Lys Ala
160

   481  ATC GTC GTT GGA GAC CAC GGC TAC GAT GTC ATC CCT GCC CGG GAG CTC GGC GCT CTG AGC
540
   161  Ile Val Val Gly Asp His Gly Tyr Asp Val Ile Pro Ala Arg Glu Leu Gly Ala Leu Ser
180

   541  GTC CTT GTC ACC GGC CAC GAG GCT GGC AGA ATG AGC TTT CAG GTT GAA GCC GAG CCA AAC
600
   181  Val Leu Val Thr Gly His Glu Ala Gly Arg Met Ser Phe Gln Val Glu Ala Glu Pro Asn
200

   601  TTT GAG GTC GAG AAC CTC ATT CAC CTC AGG AAG CTC TTC GAG AGG CTC CTG TCG AGC TAC
660
   201  Phe Glu Val Glu Asn Leu Ile His Leu Arg Lys Leu Phe Glu Arg Leu Leu Ser Ser Tyr
220

   661  GTT GTT GTT CCC GCT TAC AAC GAG GAG AAG ACC ATC AAG GGG GTA ATA GAG AAT CTT CTC
720
   221  Val Val Val Pro Ala Tyr Asn Glu Glu Lys Thr Ile Lys Gly Val Ile Glu Asn Leu Leu
240

   721  AGG TAT TTC AAA AAG GAC GAG ATA ATC GTC GTG AAC GAC GGC TCC AGG GAT AGA ACG GAG
780
   241  Arg Tyr Phe Lys Lys Asp Glu Ile Ile Val Val Asn Asp Gly Ser Arg Asp Arg Thr Glu
260

   781  GAG ATA GCT CGT TCT TAC GGA GTC CAC GTT CTT ACG CAT CTC GTC AAC AGG GGG CTT GGT
840
   261  Glu Ile Ala Arg Ser Tyr Gly Val His Val Leu Thr His Leu Val Asn Arg Gly Leu Gly
280
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   841  GGG GCC CTC GGA ACG GGC TTT GCC TAT GCC ATC AGA AAA AAC GCC AAA CTT GTC CTC ACA
900
   281  Gly Ala Leu Gly Thr Gly Phe Ala Tyr Ala Ile Arg Lys Asn Ala Lys Leu Val Leu Thr
300

   901  TTT GAT GCC GAC GGC CAG CAC CTT ATA AGC GAC GCC CTC CGC GTC ATG AGG CCA GTT GCG
960
   301  Phe Asp Ala Asp Gly Gln His Leu Ile Ser Asp Ala Leu Arg Val Met Arg Pro Val Ala
320

   961  GAG GGC AGG GCG GAC TTT GCG GTC GGC TCA AGG CTC AAA GGT GAC ACG AGC CAG ATG CCC
1020
   321  Glu Gly Arg Ala Asp Phe Ala Val Gly Ser Arg Leu Lys Gly Asp Thr Ser Gln Met Pro
340

  1021  CTC GTG AAG AAG TTC GGC AAC TTC GTT CTA GAT GCC GTG ACC GCG GTT TTT GCT GGT AAA
1080
   341  Leu Val Lys Lys Phe Gly Asn Phe Val Leu Asp Ala Val Thr Ala Val Phe Ala Gly Lys
360

  1081  TAC GTC AGC GAC AGT CAG AGC GGG TTA AGG TGT CTA AGC GGC GAC TGC CTG AGG AAA ATC
1140
   361  Tyr Val Ser Asp Ser Gln Ser Gly Leu Arg Cys Leu Ser Gly Asp Cys Leu Arg Lys Ile
380

  1141  AGG ATA ACC TGC GAC CGC TAT GCC GTG TCG AGT GAG ATT ATA ATA GAG GCC TCC AAA GCG
1200
   381  Arg Ile Thr Cys Asp Arg Tyr Ala Val Ser Ser Glu Ile Ile Ile Glu Ala Ser Lys Ala
400

  1201  GGC TGT AGA ATT GTC GAA GTT CCT ATC AAG GCT GTT TAC ACT GAG TAC TTT ATG AAG AAG
1260
   401  Gly Cys Arg Ile Val Glu Val Pro Ile Lys Ala Val Tyr Thr Glu Tyr Phe Met Lys Lys
420

  1261  GGG ACG AAC GTT TTA GAG GGC GTT AAG ATA GCC CTG AAC CTT CTC TTT GAC AAA CTG AGG
1320
   421  Gly Thr Asn Val Leu Glu Gly Val Lys Ile Ala Leu Asn Leu Leu Phe Asp Lys Leu Arg
440
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Aquifex pyrophilus (28ph1)

SEQ ID NO:47 and 48

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     1  ATG GAA AAT CTT GAA AAA CTC CTT GAA GTG GCA AAG ATG GCA GCC CTT GCC GGA GGA CAG
 60
     1  Met Glu Asn Leu Glu Lys Leu Leu Glu Val Ala Lys Met Ala Ala Leu Ala Gly Gly Gln
 20

    61  GTA TTA AAG GAA AAC TTC GGA AAG ATT AAG CTT GAA AAC ATT GAA GAA AAG GGA GAG AAG
120
    21  Val Leu Lys Glu Asn Phe Gly Lys Ile Lys Leu Glu Asn Ile Glu Glu Lys Gly Glu Lys
 40

   121  GAC TTC GTG AGC TAC GTT GAT AAA ACC TCC GAA GAG AGA ATA AAA GAG CTA ATA CTT AAG
180
    41  Asp Phe Val Ser Tyr Val Asp Lys Thr Ser Glu Glu Arg Ile Lys Glu Leu Ile Leu Lys
 60

   181  TTC TTT CCC GAC CAC GAG GTC GTG GGG GAG GAA AGG GGA AAG GAG GGA AAA GAA AGC CCT
240
    61  Phe Phe Pro Asp His Glu Val Val Gly Glu Glu Arg Gly Lys Glu Gly Lys Glu Ser Pro
 80

   241  TAC AAA TGG TTC ATA GAC CCC CTT GAT GGG ACC AAG AAC TAC ATA AAG GGC TTT CCC ATA
300
    81  Tyr Lys Trp Phe Ile Asp Pro Leu Asp Gly Thr Lys Asn Tyr Ile Lys Gly Phe Pro Ile
100

   301  TTT GCA GTC TCC GTC GGA CTC GTT AAG GAA AAC GAA CCT ATA GTG GGA GCG GTT TAC CTT
360
   101  Phe Ala Val Ser Val Gly Leu Val Lys Glu Asn Glu Pro Ile Val Gly Ala Val Tyr Leu
120

   361  CCT TAC TTT GAT ACC CTA TAC TGG GCT TCA AAG GGA AGG GGA GCC TAT AAA AAC GGG GAG
420
   121  Pro Tyr Phe Asp Thr Leu Tyr Trp Ala Ser Lys Gly Arg Gly Ala Tyr Lys Asn Gly Glu
140

   421  AGG ATA AGC GTA AAG GAA AGG GGG GAG CTC AAG CAC GCG GCG GTT GTT TAC GGA TTT CCA
480
   141  Arg Ile Ser Val Lys Glu Arg Gly Glu Leu Lys His Ala Ala Val Val Tyr Gly Phe Pro
160

   481  TCA AGA AGC AGG AGG GAT ATA TCT CTT TAC CTG AAT GTG TTT AAA GAG GTC TTT TAC GAA
540
   161  Ser Arg Ser Arg Arg Asp Ile Ser Leu Tyr Leu Asn Val Phe Lys Glu Val Phe Tyr Glu
180

   541  GTA GGT TCC GTT AGG AGG CCC GGG GCC GCA GCG GTT GAT ATA TGC ATG CTT GCG GAG GGC
600
   181  Val Gly Ser Val Arg Arg Pro Gly Ala Ala Ala Val Asp Ile Cys Met Leu Ala Glu Gly
200

   601  ATA TTT GAC GGG ATG ATG GAG TTT GAG ATG AAG CCA TGG GAC ATA ACG GCG GGA CTC GTA
660
   201  Ile Phe Asp Gly Met Met Glu Phe Glu Met Lys Pro Trp Asp Ile Thr Ala Gly Leu Val
220

   661  ATA CTG AAG GAA GCT GGA GGA TTT TAC ACA CTG AAG GGA GAC CCC TTC GGC ATC TCG GAC
720
   221  Ile Leu Lys Glu Ala Gly Gly Phe Tyr Thr Leu Lys Gly Asp Pro Phe Gly Ile Ser Asp
240

   721  ATA ATA GCG GGA AAC AGG ATG CTC CAC GAC TTC ATT CTC AAG GTT GTG AAT AAA TAC ATG
780
   241  Ile Ile Ala Gly Asn Arg Met Leu His Asp Phe Ile Leu Lys Val Val Asn Lys Tyr Met
260

   781  AAT AAT GAA AGC ACG 795
   261  Asn Asn Glu Ser Thr 265
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Bacillus thermoleovorans (68FY5)

SEQ ID NO:49 and 50

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     1  ATG AGT GAA CAG CCG GTA TTG TCT GTT CAA GGA TTA AGC GGC GGG TAT AGC ATG AAC CGA
60
     1  Met Ser Glu Gln Pro Val Leu Ser Val Gln Gly Leu Ser Gly Gly Tyr Ser Met Asn Arg
20

    61  CCG GTT CTG CAT GAC GTA ACC TTT CAG GTT GAA CCG GGT GAG ATG GTG GGT TTG ATC GGC
120
    21  Pro Val Leu His Asp Val Thr Phe Gln Val Glu Pro Gly Glu Met Val Gly Leu Ile Gly
40

   121  CTG AAC GGT GCG GGC AAG AGT ACC ACG ATG AAG CAT ATT CTC GGG CTG ATG AAT CCG CAA
180
    41  Leu Asn Gly Ala Gly Lys Ser Thr Thr Met Lys His Ile Leu Gly Leu Met Asn Pro Gln
60

   181  AAA GGG AGC ATT CAG GTT CAA GGA AAG AGC CGG ACA GAG CAT TCG GAA GCC TAT CAC GGC
240
    61  Lys Gly Ser Ile Gln Val Gln Gly Lys Ser Arg Thr Glu His Ser Glu Ala Tyr His Gly
80

   241  GCC TTG GCG TTT GTT CCC GAA TCC CCG CTG CTG TAT GAG GAG ATG ACA GTA CGA GAG CAT
300
    81  Ala Leu Ala Phe Val Pro Glu Ser Pro Leu Leu Tyr Glu Glu Met Thr Val Arg Glu His
100

   301  CTG GAA TTT ACG GCG CGC TCC TAT GGC GTA TCC CGT GAA GAT TAT GAG GCA CGT TCG GAG
360
   101  Leu Glu Phe Thr Ala Arg Ser Tyr Gly Val Ser Arg Glu Asp Tyr Glu Ala Arg Ser Glu
120

   361  CAG CTG TCG AAG ATG TTC CGT ATG GAA GAG AAG ATG GAC AGC CTG TCC ACG CAT TTG TCC
420
   121  Gln Leu Ser Lys Met Phe Arg Met Glu Glu Lys Met Asp Ser Leu Ser Thr His Leu Ser
140

   421  AAA GGG ATG CGC CAA AAA GTG ATG ATC ATG TGC GCA TTC GTA GCC AGA CCG TCC CTG TAC
480
   141  Lys Gly Met Arg Gln Lys Val Met Ile Met Cys Ala Phe Val Ala Arg Pro Ser Leu Tyr
160

   481  ATC ATT GAC GAG CCC TTT CTT GGG CTT GAT CCG CTT GGG ATA CGC TCG CTG CTT GAC TTC
540
   161  Ile Ile Asp Glu Pro Phe Leu Gly Leu Asp Pro Leu Gly Ile Arg Ser Leu Leu Asp Phe
180

   541  ATG CTG GAG CTG AAG GCA TCC GGC GCT TCG GTA TTG CTA AGC TCC CAC ATT    591
   181  Met Leu Glu Leu Lys Ala Ser Gly Ala Ser Val Leu Leu Ser Ser His Ile    197
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Pyrococcus furiosus VC1 (7ph1)

SEQ ID NO:51 and 52

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   1  ATG AAG AAA ATA ACT ATT AGT AGT TTG CTT CTA CTT TTA CTT ATT TCT ACC AAT TTG AAT
 60
   1  Met Lys Lys Ile Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Leu Leu Leu Leu Leu Ile Ser Thr Asn Leu Asn
 20

  61  CTC GCA TAC GAT TCC CAA GAG AGC GGT ATT AAA AAT ATA ATA ATC CTC ATT GGA GAC GGC
120
  21  Leu Ala Tyr Asp Ser Gln Glu Ser Gly Ile Lys Asn Ile Ile Ile Leu Ile Gly Asp Gly
 40

 121  ATG GGA ATG AGT CAT GTC CAG ATT ACA AAG CTT GTT TAT GGT CAT CTA AAC ATG GAA GAG
180
  41  Met Gly Met Ser His Val Gln Ile Thr Lys Leu Val Tyr Gly His Leu Asn Met Glu Glu
 60

 181  TTC CCA ATT ATT GGA TTC GAA CTT ACT GAG TCA TTA AGT GGG GAA GTT ACG GAC TCC GCT
240
  61  Phe Pro Ile Ile Gly Phe Glu Leu Thr Glu Ser Leu Ser Gly Glu Val Thr Asp Ser Ala
 80

 241  GCA GCA GGA ACT GCA ATA GCA ACT GGA GTC AAA ACA TAT AAT CGA ATG ATT TCA GTT ACT
300
  81  Ala Ala Gly Thr Ala Ile Ala Thr Gly Val Lys Thr Tyr Asn Arg Met Ile Ser Val Thr
100

 301  AAC ATA ACT GGA AAA GTT ACA AAT CTA ACT ACC TTG CTT GAA ATA GCC CAG GTA CTT GGA
360
 101  Asn Ile Thr Gly Lys Val Thr Asn Leu Thr Thr Leu Leu Glu Ile Ala Gln Val Leu Gly
120

 361  AAA TCA ACT GGA CTT GTG ACT ACT ACT AGA ATT ACA CAC GCA ACC CCT GCA GTA TTT GCT
420
 121  Lys Ser Thr Gly Leu Val Thr Thr Thr Arg Ile Thr Hie Ala Thr Pro Ala Val Phe Ala
140

 421  TCC CAC GTT CCT GAC AGA GAT ATG GAA GAG GAA ATA GCG AGA CAG CTC ATA GCT CAC CGG
480
 141  Ser His Val Pro Asp Arg Asp Met Glu Glu Glu Ile Ala Arg Gln Leu Ile Ala His Arg
160

 481  GTC AAC GTC CTA TTA GGT GGA GGG AGA AAG AAA TTT GAC GAG AAT ACC CTA AAA ATG GCA
540
 161  Val Asn Val Leu Leu Gly Gly Gly Arg Lys Lys Phe Asp Glu Asn Thr Leu Lys Met Ala
180

 541  AAA GAA CAG GGA TAT AAT ATA GTC TTC ACG AAA GAA GAG CTC GAG AAA GCA GAG GGT GAG
600
 181  Lys Glu Gln Gly Tyr Asn Ile Val Phe Thr Lys Glu Glu Leu Glu Lys Ala Glu Gly Glu
200

 601  TTT ATT CTA GGG CTT TTT GCA GAT AGC CAC ATT CCT TAC GTA TTG GAC AGA AAA CCA GAA
660
 201  Phe Ile Leu Gly Leu Phe Ala Asp Ser His Ile Pro Tyr Val Leu Asp Arg Lys Pro Glu
220

 661  GAT GTT GGA CTT TTG GAA ATG ACT AAA AAA GCA ATT TCA ATA CTA GAG AAA AAT CCA AAT
720
 221  Asp Val Gly Leu Leu Glu Met Thr Lys Lys Ala Ile Ser Ile Leu Glu Lys Asn Pro Asn
240

 721  GGG TTC TTT CTC ATG ATT GAA GGG GGC AGA ATT GAT CAT GCA GCT CAT GAG AAT GAT ATA
780
 241  Gly Phe Phe Leu Met Ile Glu Gly Gly Arg Ile Asp His Ala Ala His Glu Asn Asp Ile
260

 781  GCA TCA GTT GTT GCA GAG ACT AAG GAG TTT GAT GAC GTT GTT GGA TAT GTT CTT GAG TAT
840
 261  Ale Ser Val Val Ala Glu Thr Lys Glu Phe Asp Asp Val Val Gly Tyr Val Leu Glu Tyr
280

 841  GCA AAA AAG AGG GGA GAT ACA CTA GTA ATA GTG CTG GCT GAC CAT GAG ACA GGG GGG CTT
900
 281  Ala Lys Lys Arg Gly Asp Thr Leu Val Ile Val Leu Ala Asp His Glu Thr Gly Gly Leu
300
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   901  GGA TTA GGT CTA ACA TAT GGA GAT GCA ATT AAT GAA GAT GTC ATC AGG AAC ATA AAC GCT
960
   301  Gly Leu Gly Leu Thr Tyr Gly Asp Ala Ile Asn Glu Asp Val Ile Arg Asn Ile Asn Ala
320

   961  AGT GTG TCG AAA ATT GCT AGT GAA ATA AGG GCA ACG AAT GAC ATA AAG AGA GTT ATC AAA
1020
   321  Ser Val Ser Lys Ile Ala Ser Glu Ile Arg Ala Thr Asn Asp Ile Lys Arg Val Ile Lys
340

  1021  AAA TAT ACT GGA TTC GAG CTA ACA GAG GAC GAA ATT AAT TAC ATT GAG GAA GCT ATA AAC
1080
   341  Lys Tyr Thr Gly Phe Glu Leu Thr Glu Asp Glu Ile Asn Tyr Ile Glu Glu Ala Ile Asn
360

  1081  TTA GCA GAC GAA TAT GCG CTT CAA AAT GCA ATA GCT GAT ATT ATA AAC AAA CGC GTT GGT
1140
   361  Leu Ala Asp Glu Tyr Ala Leu Gln Asn Ala Ile Ala Asp Ile Ile Asn Lys Arg Val Gly
380

  1141  GTA GGT TTT GTA TCC CAC AAA CAT ACA GGA GCT CCT GTT TCA CTT CTA GCC TAC GGC CCA
1200
   381  Val Gly Phe Val Ser His Lys His Thr Gly Ala Pro Val Ser Leu Leu Ala Tyr Gly Pro
400

  1201  GGT GCA GAG AAT TTT GCA GGC TTT TTA CAC CAT GTA GAT ACG GCA AAG CTA ATT GCC AAG
1260
   401  Gly Ala Glu Asn Phe Ala Gly Phe Leu His His Val Asp Thr Ala Lys Leu Ile Ala Lys
420

  1261  CTA ATG CTC TTT GGG AAG AAA GAT ATT CCC GTT ACC ATC TTG GGA ATA AGT GGA GTT AAA
1320
   421  Leu Met Leu Phe Gly Lys Lys Asp Ile Pro Val Thr Ile Leu Gly Ile Ser Gly Val Lys
440

  1321  GGA GAT ATA ACC GGA GAC TTC AAA GTG GAT GAG CAA GAT GCA TAT GTG ACC TTA ATG ATG
1380
   441  Gly Asp Ile Thr Gly Asp Phe Lys Val Asp Glu Gln Asp Ala Tyr Val Thr Leu Met Met
460

  1381  TTG CTT GGG GAA AGG GTA GAT ACT GAA CTT GAA AGG AAA GTC GAC ATG AAT AAT AAC GGC
1440
   461  Leu Leu Gly Glu Arg Val Asp Thr Glu Leu Glu Arg Lys Val Asp Met Asn Asn Asn Gly
480

  1441  ATA ATC GAG TTG GGA GAC GTG CTC CTG ATT CTA CAA GAG TCC 1482
   481  Ile Ile Glu Leu Gly Asp Val Leu Leu Ile Leu Gln Glu Ser 494
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Pyrococcus furiosus VC1 (7ph2)

SEQ ID NO:53 and 54

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   1  ATG ATT AAC CAA ATA AAC TTC AAA ACC TCT CAT GGA GGA AGC AGA GAA GAA GGC TAC ATA
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   1  Met Ile Asn Gln Ile Asn Phe Lys Thr Ser His Gly Gly Ser Arg Glu Glu Gly Tyr Ile
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  61  AAC TTC TCG GCC TCT GTA AAT CCT TAT CCA CCA GAA TGG ACT GAT GAA ATG TTT GAG AGG
120
  21  Asn Phe Ser Ala Ser Val Asn Pro Tyr Pro Pro Glu Trp Thr Asp Glu Met Phe Glu Arg
40

 121  GCT AAA AAG ATA AGC ACC TTC TAT CCT TAC TAT GAA AAG CTT GAG GAA GAA CTC TCA GAT
180
  41  Ala Lys Lys Ile Ser Thr Phe Tyr Pro Tyr Tyr Glu Lys Leu Glu Glu Glu Leu Ser Asp
60

 181  CTA ATT GGG GAG CCA ATA ACT ATA ACT GCA GGA ATA ACA GAG GCA CTT TAC CTG CTT GGA
240
  61  Leu Ile Gly Glu Pro Ile Thr Ile Thr Ala Gly Ile Thr Glu Ala Leu Tyr Leu Leu Gly
80

 241  GTT TGG ATG AGG GGT CGG AAA GTA ATA ATC CCG AAG CAC ACC TAT GGG GAA TAC GAG AGG
300
  81  Val Trp Met Arg Gly Arg Lys Val Ile Ile Pro Lys His Thr Tyr Gly Glu Tyr Glu Arg
100

 301  ATC TCA CGC ATG TTC GGA GGT AGG GTG ATC AAA GGT CCC AAT GAC CCA GGA AAG TTA GCA
360
 101  Ile Ser Arg Met Phe Gly Gly Arg Val Ile Lys Gly Pro Asn Asp Pro Gly Lys Leu Ala
120

 361  GAA TTT GTT GAA AGA AAT TCA TTC GTG TTC TTC TGC AAT CCA AAC AAT CCA GAT GGA AAG
420
 121  Glu Phe Val Glu Arg Asn Ser Phe Val Phe Phe Cys Asn Pro Asn Asn Pro Asp Gly Lys
140

 421  TTC TAC CGA GAA AAA GAG ATG AAA CCT CTT TTA GAT GCC ATT CAA GAC ACT AAC TCA ATT
480
 141  Phe Tyr Arg Glu Lys Glu Met Lys Pro Leu Leu Asp Ala Ile Gln Asp Thr Asn Ser Ile
160

 481  TTG ATC TTG GAT GAA GCC TTC ATA GAC TTT GTT AAG AAA CCA GAA AGC CCA GAG GGA GAG
540
 161  Leu Ile Leu Asp Glu Ala Phe Ile Asp Phe Val Lys Lys Pro Glu Ser Pro Glu Gly Glu
180

 541  AAC ATA ATC AGG CTA AGG ACT TTT ACC AAA AGC TAC GGG CTC CCA GGG GTA AGG GTT GGA
600
 181  Asn Ile Ile Arg Leu Arg Thr Phe Thr Lys Ser Tyr Gly Leu Pro Gly Val Arg Val Gly
200

 601  TAT GTT ATT GGA TTT GTC GAT GCT TTC AGG AGC GTT AGA ATG CCA TGG TCA ATT GGC TCT
660
 201  Tyr Val Ile Gly Phe Val Asp Ala Phe Arg Ser Val Arg Met Pro Trp Ser Ile Gly Ser
220

 661  ACT GGG GTG GCC TTC TTA GAG TTC TTA CTC AAA GAT AAC TTC AAA CAC TTA AGA AAA ACC
720
 221  Thr Gly Val Ala Phe Leu Glu Phe Leu Leu Lys Asp Asn Phe Lys His Leu Arg Lys Thr
240

 721  CTC CCC CTA ATA TGG AAA GAA AAG GAG AGG ATT GAG AAA GAA TTG AAA GTT AAA AGC GAT
780
 241  Leu Pro Leu Ile Trp Lys Glu Lys Glu Arg Ile Glu Lys Glu Leu Lys Val Lys Ser Asp
260

 781  GCA AAT TTC TTC ATT ATG AAG GTC AGA GAA GGA ATA ATT GAA AAG CTA AAA GAG AAT GGC
840
 261  Ala Asn Phe Phe Ile Met Lys Val Arg Glu Gly Ile Ile Glu Lys Leu Lys Glu Asn Gly
280

 841  ATC CTT GTA AGG GAT TGC AAG AGC TTT GGA CTC CCT GGG TAC ATA AGG TTT TCA GTT AGA
900
 281  Ile Leu Val Arg Asp Cys Lys Ser Phe Gly Leu Pro Gly Tyr Ile Arg Phe Ser Val Arg
300
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901  AGG AGA GAA GAG AAT GAC AAA CTC ATA AAC ATC CTT AGA AAA ACA CTT AAT ACT 954
301  Arg Arg Glu Glu Asn Asp Lys Leu Ile Asn Ile Leu Arg Lys Thr Leu Asn Thr 318
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What Is Claimed Is:

1. An isolated polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of:

(a) a polynucleotide encoding an enzyme comprising an amino acid sequence selected from the group of amino acid sequences set forth in SEQ ID NOS:28-36;

(b) a polynucleotide which is complementary to the polynucleotide of (a); and

(c) a polynucleotide comprising at least 15 bases of the polynucleotide of (a) or (b).

2. An isolated polynucleotide selected from the group consisting of:

(a) SEQ ID NOS:19-27, 37-41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, or 53;

(b) SEQ ID NOS:19-27, 37-41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, or 53, where T can also be U; and

(c) fragments of a)or b)that are at least 15 bases in length and that will hybridize to DNA which encodes the amino acid sequence of any of SEQ ID Nos:28-36, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, or 54.

3. The polynucleotide of Claim 1 wherein the polynucleotide is DNA.

4. The polynucleotide of Claim 1 wherein the polynucleotide is RNA.

5. An isolated polynucleotide comprising a polynucleotide having at least 70% identity to a member selected from the group consisting of:

(a) a polynucleotide encoding an enzyme encoded by the DNA contained in ATCC Deposit No. 97379, wherein said enzyme is selected from the group consisting of Ammonifex degensii KC4, Aquifex VF-5, M11TL, Methanococcus igneus KOL5, Thermococcus AED112RA, and Thermococcus celer, Thermococcus CL-2, and Thermococcus GU5L5.

(b) a polynucleotide complementary to the polynucleotide of (a); and

(c) a polynucleotide comprising at least 15 bases of the polynucleotide of (a) and (b).

6. A vector comprising the DNA of Claim 1 or Claim 2.

7. A host cell comprising the vector of Claim 6.

8. A process for producing a polypeptide comprising: expressing from the host cell of Claim 7 a polypeptide encoded by said DNA and isolating the polypeptide.

9. A process for producing a recombinant cell comprising: transforming or transfecting the cell with the vector of Claim 6 such that the cell expresses the polypeptide encoded by the DNA contained in the vector.

10. An enzyme of which at least a portion is coded for by a polynucleotide of claim 1, and which is selected from the group consisting of:

(a) an enzyme comprising an amino acid sequence which is at least 70% identical to an amino acid sequence selected from the group of amino acid sequences set forth in SEQ ID NOS:28-36; and

(b) an enzyme which comprises at least 30 amino acid residues to the enzyme of (a).

11. An enzyme of which at least a portion is coded for by a polynucleotide of claim 1, and which is selected from the group consisting of:

(a) an enzyme comprising an amino acid sequence selected from the group of amino acid sequences set forth in in SEQ ID NOS:28-36, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, or 54; and

(b) an enzyme which comprises at least 30 amino acid residues to the enzyme of (a).

12. A method for hydrolyzing phosphate bonds comprising:

administering an effective amount of an enyzme selected from the group consisting of an enzyme having the amino acid sequence selected from the group of amino acid sequences set forth in SEQ ID NOS:28-36, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, or 54.

ABSTRACT

Thermostable alkaline phosphatase enzymes derived from bacteria from the genus *Ammonifex, Aquifex, Archaeoglobus, Desulfurococcus, Methanococcus, Thermotogales, Pyrolobus, Pyrococcus, and Thermococcus* organisms are disclosed. The enzymes are produced from native or recombinant host cells and can be utilized in the pharmaceutical, food, detergent, and baking industry.

SEQUENCE LISTING

FIGURE 1.

Ammonifex degensii KC4 Phosphatase(3A1A=3A2A)
Complete gene sequence

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       ATGAGGGGGAGCGGAGTGCGGATACTTCTCACCAACGATGACGGCATCTTTGCCGAGGGT
     1 MetArgGlySerGlyValArgIleLeuLeuThrAsnAspAspGlyIlePheAlaGluGly

       CTGGGGGCTCTGCGCAAGATGCTGGAGCCCGTGGCTACCCTTTACGTGGTGGCTCCGGAC
    21 LeuGlyAlaLeuArgLysMetLeuGluProValAlaThrLeuTyrValValAlaProAsp

       CGAGAGCGTAGCGCGGCCAGCCATGCTATCACCGTTCACCGCCCCCTGCGGGTGCGGGAG
    41 ArgGluArgSerAlaAlaSerHisAlaIleThrValHisArgProLeuArgValArgGlu

       GCGGGTTTTCGCAGCCCCAGGCTTAAAGGCTGGGTAGTGGACGGTACCCCGGCCGACTGC
    61 AlaGlyPheArgSerProArgLeuLysGlyTrpValValAspGlyThrProAlaAspCys

       GTCAAGCTGGGCCTGGAGGTACTTTTGCCCGAACGTCCAGATTTCCTGGTTTCGGGCATA
    81 ValLysLeuGlyLeuGluValLeuLeuProGluArgProAspPheLeuValSerGlyIle

       AACTACGGGCCCAACCTGGGTACCGACGTACTTTACTCCGGCACCGTCTCGGCGGCCATA
   101 AsnTyrGlyProAsnLeuGlyThrAspValLeuTyrSerGlyThrValSerAlaAlaIle

       GAAGGGGTAATTAACGGCATTCCCTCGGTGGCCGTATCTTTGGCCACGCGGCGGGAGCCG
   121 GluGlyValIleAsnGlyIleProSerValAlaValSerLeuAlaThrArgArgGluPro

       GACTATACCTGGGCGGCCCGGTTCGTCCTGGTCCTGCTGGAGGAACTGCGAAAACACCAA
   141 AspTyrThrTrpAlaAlaArgPheValLeuValLeuLeuGluGluLeuArgLysHisGln

       CTGCCCCCAGGAACCCTGCTCAACGTCAACGTGCCCGACGGGGTGCCCCGCGGGGTCAAG
   161 LeuProProGlyThrLeuLeuAsnValAsnValProAspGlyValProArgGlyValLys

       GTGACCAAACTGGGAAGCGTACGCTACGTCAACGTGGTAGACTGCCGCACCGACCCTCGG
   181 ValThrLysLeuGlySerValArgTyrValAsnValValAspCysArgThrAspProArg

       GGGAAGGCTTACTACTGGATGGCGGGAGAACCATTGGAGCTGGACGGCAACGACTCCGAA
   201 GlyLysAlaTyrTyrTrpMetAlaGlyGluProLeuGluLeuAspGlyAsnAspSerGlu

       ACCGACGTCTGGGCGGTGCGAGAAGGCTATATTTCCGTAACACCGGTCCAGATCGACCTT
   221 ThrAspValTrpAlaValArgGluGlyTyrIleSerValThrProValGlnIleAspLeu

       ACTAACTACGGCTTCCTGGAAGAACTCAAAAAATGGCGTTTCAAGGATATCTTTTCTTCT
   241 ThrAsnTyrGlyPheLeuGluGluLeuLysLysTrpArgPheLysAspIlePheSerSer

       TAA
   261 End  261
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FIGURE 2

Methanococcus igneus Kol5 Phosphatase (9A1A)
Complete Gene Sequence

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       ATGTTGGATATACTGCTTGTTAATGATGATGGCATTTATTCAAATGGATTAATAGCTTTG
     1 MetLeuAspIleLeuLeuValAsnAspAspGlyIleTyrSerAsnGlyLeuIleAlaLeu

       AAGGATGCATTATTGGAAAAATTTAATGCGAGGATTACTATTGTAGCCCCAACAAATCAG
    21 LysAspAlaLeuLeuGluLysPheAsnAlaArgIleThrIleValAlaProThrAsnGln

       CAGAGTGGTATTGGTAGGGCAATAAGTTTATTCGAGCCGTTAAGGATAACTAAAACCAAA
    41 GlnSerGlyIleGlyArgAlaIleSerLeuPheGluProLeuArgIleThrLysThrLys

       TTAGCAGATGGTTCTTGGGGATATGCAGTTTCAGGAACCCCAACAGATTGCGTTATATTG
    61 LeuAlaAspGlySerTrpGlyTyrAlaValSerGlyThrProThrAspCysValIleLeu

       GGCATTTATGAGATATTAAAGAAGGTACCTGATGTAGTTATATCAGGAATAAACATTGGA
    81 GlyIleTyrGluIleLeuLysLysValProAspValValIleSerGlyIleAsnIleGly

       GAAAACCTTGGGACTGAAATAACAACTTCTGGAACGTTGGGGGCTGCGTTTGAAGGGGCC
   101 GluAsnLeuGlyThrGluIleThrThrSerGlyThrLeuGlyAlaAlaPheGluGlyAla

       CATCATGGGGCTAAGGCATTAGCATCATCACTCCAAGTTACCTCTGACCATCTAAAGTTT
   121 HisHisGlyAlaLysAlaLeuAlaSerSerLeuGlnValThrSerAspHisLeuLysPhe

       AAAGAGGGGGAGACCCCAATAGACTTCACAGTCCCAGCAAGAATTACTGCAAATGTTGTT
   141 LysGluGlyGluThrProIleAspPheThrValProAlaArgIleThrAlaAsnValVal

       GAGAAGATGTTGGATTATGATTTCCCATGTGATGTCGTCAACTTAAACATTCCAGAAGGA
   161 GluLysMetLeuAspTyrAspPheProCysAspValValAsnLeuAsnIleProGluGly

       GCAACAGAAAAGACACCGATTGAAATCACAAGGTTGGCAAGGAAAATGTATACAACACAC
   181 AlaThrGluLysThrProIleGluIleThrArgLeuAlaArgLysMetTyrThrThrHis

       GTTGAGGAAAGAATAGATCCAAGAGGGAGGAGTTATTATTGGATTGATGGGTATCCTATT
   201 ValGluGluArgIleAspProArgGlyArgSerTyrTyrTrpIleAspGlyTyrProIle

       TTAGAGGAAGAGGAAGACACTGATGTCTATGTTGTTAGAAGAAAGGGACATATTTCTCTA
   221 LeuGluGluGluGluAspThrAspValTyrValValArgArgLysGlyHisIleSerLeu

       ACCCCATTAACATTAGACACAACAATTAAAAATTTAGAGGAATTTAAGAAAAAATATGAG
   241 ThrProLeuThrLeuAspThrThrIleLysAsnLeuGluGluPheLysLysLysTyrGlu

       AGAATATTAAATGAATGA
   261 ArgIleLeuAsnGluEnd  266
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FIGURE 3

Thermococcus alcaliphilus AEDII12RA Phosphatase (18A)
Complete Gene Sequence

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       ATGATGATGGAATTCACTCGCGAGGGAATAAAAGCTGCTGTAGAGGCACTTCAAGGGTTA
     1 MetMetMetGluPheThrArgGluGlyIleLysAlaAlaValGluAlaLeuGlnGlyLeu

       GGAGAGATCTACGTAGTTGCCCCAATGTTTCAAAGGAGCGCAAGTGGAAGGGCAATGACC
    21 GlyGluIleTyrValValAlaProMetPheGlnArgSerAlaSerGlyArgAlaMetThr

       ATCCACAGACCTCTAAGGGCTAAAAGAATAAGTATGAACGGTGCAAAAGCAGCCTATGCT
    41 IleHisArgProLeuArgAlaLysArgIleSerMetAsnGlyAlaLysAlaAlaTyrAla

       TTGGATGGAATGCCCGTTGATTGCGTTATCTTTGCCATGGCCAGATTTGGAGATTTCGAC
    61 LeuAspGlyMetProValAspCysValIlePheAlaMetAlaArgPheGlyAspPheAsp

       CTTGCAATAAGTGGTGTAAACTTGGGAGAAAACATGAGCACCGAGATAACGGTTTCCGGG
    81 LeuAlaIleSerGlyValAsnLeuGlyGluAsnMetSerThrGluIleThrValSerGly

       ACTGCAAGCGCTGCAATAGAGGCTGCAACCCAAGAGATCCCAAGCATTCCCATAAGCCTG
   101 ThrAlaSerAlaAlaIleGluAlaAlaThrGlnGluIleProSerIleProIleSerLeu

       GAAGTTAATAGAGAAAAACACAAATTTGGTGAGGGCGAAGAGATTGACTTCTCAGCTGCC
   121 GluValAsnArgGluLysHisLysPheGlyGluGlyGluGluIleAspPheSerAlaAla

       AAGTATTTCCTAAGAAAAATCGCAACGGCGGTTTTAAAGAGAGGCCTCCCCAAAGGAGTC
   141 LysTyrPheLeuArgLysIleAlaThrAlaValLeuLysArgGlyLeuProLysGlyVal

       GATATGCTGAACGTCAACGTCCCTTATGATGCAAATGAAAGGACAGAGATAGCTTTTACT
   161 AspMetLeuAsnValAsnValProTyrAspAlaAsnGluArgThrGluIleAlaPheThr

       CGCCTGGCAAGAAGGATGTATAGGCCTTCTATTGAAGAGCGCATAGACCCAAAGGGGAAT
   181 ArgLeuAlaArgArgMetTyrArgProSerIleGluGluArgIleAspProLysGlyAsn

       CCCTACTACTGGATAGTTGGAACTCAGTGCCCTAAGGAGGCATTAGAGCCGGGAACGGAT
   201 ProTyrTyrTrpIleValGlyThrGlnCysProLysGluAlaLeuGluProGlyThrAsp

       ATGTATGTAGTTAAAGTTGAGAGAAAAGTTAGCGTGACTCCAATAAACATTGATATGACA
   221 MetTyrValValLysValGluArgLysValSerValThrProIleAsnIleAspMetThr

       GCAAGAGTGAATTTAGACGAGATTAAAAGACTTTTAGAACTGTAG
   241 AlaArgValAsnLeuAspGluIleLysArgLeuLeuGluLeuEnd  255
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FIGURE 4

Thermococcus celer Phosphatase (25A1A)
Complete Gene Sequence

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       ATGAGAACCCTGACAATAAACACTGACGCGGAGGGGTTCGTTTTGAGGATTCTCCTGACG
  1    MetArgThrLeuThrIleAsnThrAspAlaGluGlyPheValLeuArgIleLeuLeuThr   20

       AACGACGATGGAATCTACTCCAACGGACTGCGCGCCGCTGTGAAAGCCCTGAGTGAGCTC
 21    AsnAspAspGlyIleTyrSerAsnGlyLeuArgAlaAlaValLysAlaLeuSerGluLeu   40

       GGCGAAGTTTACGTCGTTGCCCCCCTCTTCCAGAGGAGCGCGAGCGGCAGGGCCATGACG
 41    GlyGluValTyrValValAlaProLeuPheGlnArgSerAlaSerGlyArgAlaMetThr   60

       CTCCACAGGCCGATAAGGGCCAAGCGCGTTGACGTTCCCGGCGCAAAGATAGCCTACGGA
 61    LeuHisArgProIleArgAlaLysArgValAspValProGlyAlaLysIleAlaTyrGly   80

       ATAGATGGAACTCCTACTGACTGCGTGATTTTCGCCATAGCCCGCTTCGGGAGCTTTGGT
 81    IleAspGlyThrProThrAspCysValIlePheAlaIleAlaArgPheGlySerPheGly  100

       TTAGCCGTGAGCGGGATTAACCTCGGCGAGAACCTGAGCACCGAGATAACAGTCTCAGGG
101    LeuAlaValSerGlyIleAsnLeuGlyGluAsnLeuSerThrGluIleThrValSerGly  120

       ACGGCCTCCGCTGCCATAGAGGCCTCAACTCATGGAATTCCGAGCATAGCGATTAGCCTT
121    ThrAlaSerAlaAlaIleGluAlaSerThrHisGlyIleProSerIleAlaIleSerLeu  140

       GAGGTGGAGTGGAAGAAGACCCTCGGCGAGGGTGAGGGGGTTGACTTCTCGGTCTCGACT
141    GluValGluTrpLysLysThrLeuGlyGluGlyGluGlyValAspPheSerValSerThr  160

       CACTTCCTCAAGAGAATCGCGGGAGCCCTCTTGGAGAGAGGTCTTCCTGAGGGCGTTGAC
161    HisPheLeuLysArgIleAlaGlyAlaLeuLeuGluArgGlyLeuProGluGlyValAsp  180

       ATGCTCAACGTCAACGTTCCGAGCGACGCGACGGAGGAAACGGAGATAGCAATCACCCGC
181    MetLeuAsnValAsnValProSerAspAlaThrGluGluThrGluIleAlaIleThrArg  200

       TTAGCCCGGAAGCGCTACTCCCCAACGGTCGAGGAGAGGATTGACCCCAAGGGCAACCCC
201    LeuAlaArgLysArgTyrSerProThrValGluGluArgIleAspProLysGlyAsnPro  220

       TACTACTGGATTGTCGGCAAACTTGTCCAAGACTTCGAGCCAGGGACAGATGCCTACGCC
221    TyrTyrTrpIleValGlyLysLeuValGlnAspPheGluProGlyThrAspAlaTyrAla  240

       CTGAAGGTCGAGAGGAAGGTCAGCGTCACGCCGATAAACATAGATATGACTGCGAGGGTG
241    LeuLysValGluArgLysValSerValThrProIleAsnIleAspMetThrAlaArgVal  260

       GACTTTGAGGAGCTTGTAAGGGTTCTGTGGGTGTAA
261    AspPheGluGluLeuValArgValLeuTrpValEnd  272
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FIGURE 5A

Thermococcus GU5L5 Phosphatase (26A1A) Complete Gene Sequence (Part 1 of 2)

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       ATGAAAGGAAAGTCTCTTGTTAGCGGTCTGTTGTTGGGTCTTTTAATTTTGAGCCTGATT
  1    MetLysGlyLysSerLeuValSerGlyLeuLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuIleLeuSerLeuIle   20

       TCATTCCAGCCAAGCTTTGCATACTCCCCACACGGCGGTGTCAAAAACATCATAATCCTG
 21    SerPheGlnProSerPheAlaTyrSerProHisGlyGlyValLysAsnIleIleIleLeu   40

       GTTGGAGACGGCATGGGTCTTGGGCATGTAGAAATTACAAAGCTCGTTTATGGACACTTA
 41    ValGlyAspGlyMetGlyLeuGlyHisValGluIleThrLysLeuValTyrGlyHisLeu   60

       AACATGGAAAACTTTCCAGTTACTGGATTTGAGCTTACTGATTCCCTAAGTGGTGAAGTT
 61    AsnMetGluAsnPheProValThrGlyPheGluLeuThrAspSerLeuSerGlyGluVal   80

       ACAGATTCTGCTGCGGCAGGAACTGCAATATCCACTGGAGCTAAAACGTATAATGGTATG
 81    ThrAspSerAlaAlaAlaGlyThrAlaIleSerThrGlyAlaLysThrTyrAsnGlyMet  100

       ATTTCAGTAACCAACATAACCGGAAAGATAGTTAACTTAACAACCCTACTTGAAGTGGCT
101    IleSerValThrAsnIleThrGlyLysIleValAsnLeuThrThrLeuLeuGluValAla  120

       CAAGAGCTTGGGAAGTCAACAGGGCTGGTCACCACAACAAGGATTACCCATGCAACTCCA
121    GlnGluLeuGlyLysSerThrGlyLeuValThrThrThrArgIleThrHisAlaThrPro  140

       GCAGTTTTTGCGTCCCATGTCCCAGATAGGGATATGGAGGGGGAGATACCCAAGCAACTC
141    AlaValPheAlaSerHisValProAspArgAspMetGluGlyGluIleProLysGlnLeu  160

       ATAATGCACAAAGTTAACGTCTTGTTGGGTGGTGGAAGGGAGAAATTCGATGAGAAAAAT
161    IleMetHisLysValAsnValLeuLeuGlyGlyGlyArgGluLysPheAspGluLysAsn  180

       TTGGAGCTGGCCAAAAAGCAGGGATACAAAGTAGTTTTCACGAAGGAAGAGCTTGAAAAA
181    LeuGluLeuAlaLysLysGlnGlyTyrLysValValPheThrLysGluGluLeuGluLys  200

       GTTGAAGGAGATTATGTCCTAGGACTCTTTGCAGAAAGTCACATCCCTTACGTATTGGAT
201    ValGluGlyAspTyrValLeuGlyLeuPheAlaGluSerHisIleProTyrValLeuAsp  220

       AGAAAACCCGATGATGTTGGACTTTTAGAAATGGCCAAAAAGGCAATTTCAATACTCGAG
221    ArgLysProAspAspValGlyLeuLeuGluMetAlaLysLysAlaIleSerIleLeuGlu  240

       AAGAACCCGAGCGGATTCTTTCTCATGGTTGAGGGCGGAAGGATTGACCATGCAGCCCAT
241    LysAsnProSerGlyPhePheLeuMetValGluGlyGlyArgIleAspHisAlaAlaHis  260

       GGAAACGATGTCGCATCGGTTGTTGCAGAAACTAAGGAGTTTGACGATGTTGTCAGATAC
261    GlyAsnAspValAlaSerValValAlaGluThrLysGluPheAspAspValValArgTyr  280

       GTGCTGGAATATCCGAAGAAGAGGGGAGATACCTTGGTAATAGTGCTTGCCGATCACGAA
281    ValLeuGluTyrProLysLysArgGlyAspThrLeuValIleValLeuAlaAspHisGlu  300

       ACTGGAGGTCTTGCAATAGGTCTAACGTATGGAAATGCAATCGATGAAGATGCCATAAGA
301    ThrGlyGlyLeuAlaIleGlyLeuThrTyrGlyAsnAlaIleAspGluAspAlaIleArg  320

       AAAATAAAAGCAAGCACGTTGAGGATGCCCAAAGAGGTTAAGGCAGGGAGTAGTGTAAAA
321    LysIleLysAlaSerThrLeuArgMetProLysGluValLysAlaGlySerSerValLys  340
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FIGURE 5B

Thermococcus GU5L5 Phosphatase (26A1A)
Complete Gene Sequence (Part 2 of 2)

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     GAGTCCTCAAAGGTATGCCGGATTTGTCCCAACAGAGGAAGAAGTCAGTATATTGAGAAT
341  GluSerSerLysValCysArgIleCysProAsnArgGlyArgSerGlnTyrIleGluAsn  360

     GCGCTGCACTCGACAAACAAGTATGCCCTCTCAAATGCAGTAGCCGATGTTATAAACAGG
361  AlaLeuHisSerThrAsnLysTyrAlaLeuSerAsnAlaValAlaAspValIleAsnArg  380

     CGTATTGGTGTTGGATTCACCTCCTATGAGCATACAGGAGTTCCAGTTCCGCTCTTAGCT
381  ArgIleGlyValGlyPheThrSerTyrGluHisThrGlyValProValProLeuLeuAla  400

     TACGGTCCCGGGGCAGAGAACTTCAGAGGTTTCTTACACCATGTGGATACAGCAAGATTA
401  TyrGlyProGlyAlaGluAsnPheArgGlyPheLeuHisHisValAspThrAlaArgLeu  420

     GTTGCAAAGTTAATGCTCTTTGGAAGGAGGAATATTCCAGTTACCATTTCAAGCGTGAGC
421  ValAlaLysLeuMetLeuPheGlyArgArgAsnIleProValThrIleSerSerValSer  440

     AGTGTTAAGGGAGACATAACCGGTGATTACAGGGTTGATGAGAAGGATGCCTACGTTACG
441  SerValLysGlyAspIleThrGlyAspTyrArgValAspGluLysAspAlaTyrValThr  460

     CTCATGATGTTTCTCGGAGAAAAAAGTGGATAATGAAATTGAAAAGAGAGTCGATATAGAC
461  LeuMetMetPheLeuGlyGluLysValAspAsnGluIleGluLysArgValAspIleAsp  480

     AACAACGGCATGGTTGACTTAAATGACGTCATGTTGATTCTCCAGGAAGCTTGA
481  AsnAsnGlyMetValAspLeuAsnAspValMetLeuIleLeuGlnGluAlaEnd  498
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FIGURE 6A

OC9a Phosphatase (27A3A)
Complete Gene Sequence (Part 1 of 2)

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       ATGCCAAGAAATATCGCCGCTGTATGCGCCCTGGCCGCTTTGTTAGGGTCGGCCTGGGCG
     1 MetProArgAsnIleAlaAlaValCysAlaLeuAlaAlaLeuLeuGlySerAlaTrpAla  20

       GCCAAAGTTGCCGTCTACCCCTACGACGGAGCCGCTTTGCTGGCGGGGCAGCGCTTCGAT
    21 AlaLysValAlaValTyrProTyrAspGlyAlaAlaLeuLeuAlaGlyGlnArgPheAsp  40

       TTGCGCATAGAAGCCTCCGAGCTGAAAGGCAATTTAAAGGCTTACCGCATCACCCTGGAC
    41 LeuArgIleGluAlaSerGluLeuLysGlyAsnLeuLysAlaTyrArgIleThrLeuAsp  60

       GGCCAGCCTCTGGCGGGCCTCGAGCAAACCGCGCAGGGGGCCGGGCAGGCCGAGTGGACC
    61 GlyGlnProLeuAlaGlyLeuGluGlnThrAlaGlnGlyAlaGlyGlnAlaGluTrpThr  80

       CTGCGCGGTGCCTTCCTGCGCCCTGGAAGCCACACCCTCGAGGTCAGCCTCACCGACGAC
    81 LeuArgGlyAlaPheLeuArgProGlySerHisThrLeuGluValSerLeuThrAspAsp 100

       GCTGGGGAGAGCAGGAAGAGCGTACGTTGGGAGGCTCGGCAGAACCTTCGCTTGCCCCGA
   101 AlaGlyGluSerArgLysSerValArgTrpGluAlaArgGlnAsnLeuArgLeuProArg 120

       GCGGCCAAGAATGTGATTCTCTTCATTGGCGACGGGATGGGCTGGAACACCCTCAACGCC
   121 AlaAlaLysAsnValIleLeuPheIleGlyAspGlyMetGlyTrpAsnThrLeuAsnAla 140

       GCCCGCATCATCGCCAAAGGCTTTAACCCCGAAAACGGTATGCCCAACGGAAACCTCGAG
   141 AlaArgIleIleAlaLysGlyPheAsnProGluAsnGlyMetProAsnGlyAsnLeuGlu 160

       ATCGAGAGTGGTTACGGTGGGATGGCTACCGTCACTACCGGCAGCTTTGATAGCTTCATC
   161 IleGluSerGlyTyrGlyGlyMetAlaThrValThrThrGlySerPheAspSerPheIle 180

       GCCGACTCAGCTAACTCGGCTTCTTCCATCATGACCGGGCAGAAGGTGCAGGTGAATGCC
   181 AlaAspSerAlaAsnSerAlaSerSerIleMetThrGlyGlnLysValGlnValAsnAla 200

       CTCAACGTTTACCCATCAAACCTCAAAGATACCCTGGCCTACCCCCGGATCGAAACCCTA
   201 LeuAsnValTyrProSerAsnLeuLysAspThrLeuAlaTyrProArgIleGluThrLeu 220

       GCGGAGATGCTCAAGCGGGTACGCGGGGCCAGCATTGGGGTAGTGACCACCACCTTCGGC
   221 AlaGluMetLeuLysArgValArgGlyAlaSerIleGlyValValThrThrThrPheGly 240

       ACCGACGCTACCCCGGCTTCACTCAACGCCCATACCCGCCGCCGCGGTGATTACCAGGCT
   241 ThrAspAlaThrProAlaSerLeuAsnAlaHisThrArgArgArgGlyAspTyrGlnAla 260

       ATCGCCGACATGTACTTTGGTAGAGGCGGGTTCGGTGTTCCCTTGGATGTGATGCTCTTC
   261 IleAlaAspMetTyrPheGlyArgGlyGlyPheGlyValProLeuAspValMetLeuPhe 280

       GGTGGTTCACGCGACTTCATCCCCCAGAGCACCCCTGGCTCGCGGCGCAAGGATAGCACG
   281 GlyGlySerArgAspPheIleProGlnSerThrProGlySerArgArgLysAspSerThr 300

       GACTGGATTGCCGAATCCCAGAAGCTGGGCTACACCTTTGTCAGCACCCGCAGCGAGCTG
   301 AspTrpIleAlaGluSerGlnLysLeuGlyTyrThrPheValSerThrArgSerGluLeu 320

       CTGCGGCCAAACCCACCGATAAGCTGTTTGGGCTGTTCAACATTGACAACTTCCCCAGC
   321 LeuAlaAlaLysProThrAspLysLeuPheGlyLeuPheAsnIleAspAsnPheProSer 340
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FIGURE 6B

OC9a Phosphatase (27A3A)
Complete Gene Sequence (Part 2 of 2)

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     TACCTAGACCGCGCAGTGTGGAAGCGGCCCGAGATGCTGGGAAGCTTTACCGATATGCCC
341  TyrLeuAspArgAlaValTrpLysArgProGluMetLeuGlySerPheThrAspMetPro  360

     TACCTCTGGGAGATGACCCAGAAAGCCGTGGAGGCTCTCTCCAGAAACGACAAAGGCTTT
361  TyrLeuTrpGluMetThrGlnLysAlaValGluAlaLeuSerArgAsnAspLysGlyPhe  380

     TTCTTGATGGTTGAGGGGGGAATGGTGGATAAGTACGAGCACCCCTTGGACTGGCCCCGC
381  PheLeuMetValGluGlyGlyMetValAspLysTyrGluHisProLeuAspTrpProArg  400

     GCACTTTGGGATGTACTCGAGCTGGACCGCGCGGTGGCTTGGGCCAAGGGCTATGCGGCC
401  AlaLeuTrpAspValLeuGluLeuAspArgAlaValAlaTrpAlaLysGlyTyrAlaAla  420

     TCCCACCCCGATACCCTGGTGATTGTCACCGCCGACCACGCTCACTCGATCTCGGTGTTT
421  SerHisProAspThrLeuValIleValThrAlaAspHisAlaHisSerIleSerValPhe  440

     GGCGGTTACGACTACTCCAAGCAGGGCCGGGAGGGGGTGGGGGTTTATGAGGCCGCCAAG
441  GlyGlyTyrAspTyrSerLysGlnGlyArgGluGlyValGlyValTyrGluAlaAlaLys  460

     TTCCCCACCTACGGCGACAAAAAAGACGCCAACGGCTTTCCCTTGCCCGACACCACTCGG
461  PheProThrTyrGlyAspLysLysAspAlaAsnGlyPheProLeuProAspThrThrArg  480

     GGAATCGCGGTAGGCTTCGGGGCCACGCCGGATTACTGTGAAACCTACCGGGGCCGCGAG
481  GlyIleAlaValGlyPheGlyAlaThrProAspTyrCysGluThrTyrArgGlyArgGlu  500

     GTCTACAAAGACCCCACCATCTCCGACGGCAAAGGTGGTTACGTGGCCAACCCTGAGGTC
501  ValTyrLysAspProThrIleSerAspGlyLysGlyGlyTyrValAlaAsnProGluVal  520

     TGCAAGGAGCCGGGCCTTCCAACGTATCGGCAACTCCCAGTAGATAGCGCCCAGGGCGTG
521  CysLysGluProGlyLeuProThrTyrArgGlnLeuProValAspSerAlaGlnGlyVal  540

     CACACGGCTGATCCCATGCCGCTGTTTGCCTTTGGCGTGGGGTCTCAGTTCTTCAATGGC
541  HisThrAlaAspProMetProLeuPheAlaPheGlyValGlySerGlnPhePheAsnGly  560

     CTCATCGACCAGACCGAGATCTTCTTCCGCATGGCCCAGGCCCTAGGGTTCAACCCCCAC
561  LeuIleAspGlnThrGluIlePhePheArgMetAlaGlnAlaLeuGlyPheAsnProHis  580

     CTCGAGAAGCCTTAA
581  LeuGluLysProEnd  585
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FIGURE 7

M11 TL Phosphatase (29A1A=29A2A)
Complete Gene Sequence

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       ATGTATAAATGGATTATTGAGGGTAAGCTTGCCCAAGCACCTTTTCCAAGCCTAGGTGAA
     1 MetTyrLysTrpIleIleGluGlyLysLeuAlaGlnAlaProPheProSerLeuGlyGlu   20

       CTAGCCGATCTCAAAAGACTTTTCGACGCCATTATTGTTCTTACAATGCCGCATGAACAA
    21 LeuAlaAspLeuLysArgLeuPheAspAlaIleIleValLeuThrMetProHisGluGln   40

       CCGCTTAATGAGAAATATATCGAGATATTAGAGAGCCATGGATTCCAAGTCCTCCATGTC
    41 ProLeuAsnGluLysTyrIleGluIleLeuGluSerHisGlyPheGlnValLeuHisVal   60

       CCCACGCTCGACTTTCATCCTTTAGAACTCTTCGACCTTTTGAAAACAAGCATATTCATT
    61 ProThrLeuAspPheHisProLeuGluLeuPheAspLeuLeuLysThrSerIlePheIle   80

       GATGAAAACCTGGAGAGATCCCACAGAGTGCTTGTCCACTGCATGGGAGGCATAGGCCGG
    81 AspGluAsnLeuGluArgSerHisArgValLeuValHisCysMetGlyGlyIleGlyArg   100

       AGCGGGCTTGTAACTGCTGCGTACTTAATATTCAAAGGTTATGATATTTACGACGCGGTA
   101 SerGlyLeuValThrAlaAlaTyrLeuIlePheLysGlyTyrAspIleTyrAspAlaVal   120

       AAGCATGTGAGAACGGTAGTGCCTGGTGCTATTGAAAACAGAGGGCAAGCGTTAATGCTT
   121 LysHisValArgThrValValProGlyAlaIleGluAsnArgGlyGlnAlaLeuMetLeu   140

       GAGAACTACTATACCCTGGTCAAAAGTTTCAACAGAGAGTTGCTGAGAGACTACGGGAAG
   141 GluAsnTyrTyrThrLeuValLysSerPheAsnArgGluLeuLeuArgAspTyrGlyLys   160

       AAAATTTTCACGCTCGGTGACCCGAAGGCGGTTCTCCACGCTTCTAAGACGACTCAGTTC
   161 LysIlePheThrLeuGlyAspProLysAlaValLeuHisAlaSerLysThrThrGlnPhe   180

       ACGATTGAACTCTTAAGCAACTTACACGTCAACGAGGCGTTTTCAATCAGTGCGATGGCT
   181 ThrIleGluLeuLeuSerAsnLeuHisValAsnGluAlaPheSerIleSerAlaMetAla   200

       CAATCACTGCTCCACTTTCACGACGTAAAAGTCCGCTCTAAACTGAAAGAAGTATTCGAA
   201 GlnSerLeuLeuHisPheHisAspValLysValArgSerLysLeuLysGluValPheGlu   220

       AACATGGAATTCTCATCCGCCTCAGAGGAGGTTCTGTCATTTATTCACCTACTCGATTTC
   221 AsnMetGluPheSerSerAlaSerGluGluValLeuSerPheIleHisLeuLeuAspPhe   240

       TATCAGGATGGCAGGGTTGTTTTAACCATTTACGATTATCTCCCCGATAGGGTGGATTTG
   241 TyrGlnAspGlyArgValValLeuThrIleTyrAspTyrLeuProAspArgValAspLeu   260

       ATTTTATTGTGTAAGTGGGGTTGTGATAAAATAGTTGAAGTCTCGTCTTCAGCGAAGAAA
   261 IleLeuLeuCysLysTrpGlyCysAspLysIleValGluValSerSerSerAlaLysLys   280

       ACCGTTGAGAAGCTTGTAGGAAGAAAGGTTTCCCTATCCTGGGCTAATTACTTAGACTAT
   281 ThrValGluLysLeuValGlyArgLysValSerLeuSerTrpAlaAsnTyrLeuAspTyr   300

       GTTTAG
   301 ValEnd   302
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FIGURE 8

Thermococcus CL-2 Phosphatase (30A1A)
Complete Gene Sequence

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       ATGAGAATCCTCCTCACCAACGACGACGGCATCTATTCCAACGGTCTGCGCGCGGCGGTG
  1    MetArgIleLeuLeuThrAsnAspAspGlyIleTyrSerAsnGlyLeuArgAlaAlaVal   20

       AAGGGCCTGAGCGAGCTCGGCGAGGTCTACGTCGTCGCCCCGCTCTTCCAGAGGAGCGCG
 21    LysGlyLeuSerGluLeuGlyGluValTyrValValAlaProLeuPheGlnArgSerAla   40

       AGCGGTCGGGCGATGACCCTACACAGGCCGATAAGGGCAAAGAGGGTTGACGTTCCCGGC
 41    SerGlyArgAlaMetThrLeuHisArgProIleArgAlaLysArgValAspValProGly   60

       GCGAAGATAGCGTATGGCATAGACGGAACGCCGACCGACTGCGTGATTTTTGCCATCGCC
 61    AlaLysIleAlaTyrGlyIleAspGlyThrProThrAspCysValIlePheAlaIleAla   80

       CGCTTCGGCGACTTTGATCTGGCGGTCAGCGGGATAAACCTAGGCGAGAACCTGAGCACG
 81    ArgPheGlyAspPheAspLeuAlaValSerGlyIleAsnLeuGlyGluAsnLeuSerThr  100

       GAGATAACCGTCTCCGGAACGGCCTCGGCGGCGATAGAGGCTTCCACCCACGGGATTCCA
101    GluIleThrValSerGlyThrAlaSerAlaAlaIleGluAlaSerThrHisGlyIlePro  120

       AGTGTAGCTATAAGCCTCGAGGTCGAGTGGAAGAAGACCCTCGGCGAGGGGGAGGGTATT
121    SerValAlaIleSerLeuGluValGluTrpLysLysThrLeuGlyGluGlyGluGlyIle  140

       GACTTCTCGGTTTCAGCACACTTCCTGAGAAGGATAGCGACGGCTGTCCTTAAGAAGGGC
141    AspPheSerValSerAlaHisPheLeuArgArgIleAlaThrAlaValLeuLysLysGly  160

       CTGCCTGAAGGGGTGGACATGCTCAACGTGAACGTCCCTAGCGACGCCAGCGAGGGGACT
161    LeuProGluGlyValAspMetLeuAsnValAsnValProSerAspAlaSerGluGlyThr  180

       GAGATCGCCATAACGCGCCTCGCGAGGAAGCGCTATTCTCCGACGATAGAGGAGAGGATA
181    GluIleAlaIleThrArgLeuAlaArgLysArgTyrSerProThrIleGluGluArgIle  200

       GACCCCAAGGGCAACCCCTACTACTGGATCGTTGGCAGGCTCGTCCAGGAGTTCGAGCCG
201    AspProLysGlyAsnProTyrTyrTrpIleValGlyArgLeuValGlnGluPheGluPro  220

       GGCACGGACGCCTACGCTCTGAAAGTCGAGAGAAAGGTCAGCGTCACGCCCATAAACATC
221    GlyThrAspAlaTyrAlaLeuLysValGluArgLysValSerValThrProIleAsnIle  240

       GACATGACTGCGAGGGTTGACTTTGAGAACCTTCAAAGGCTTCTGAGCCTGTGA
241    AspMetThrAlaArgValAspPheGluAsnLeuGlnArgLeuLeuSerLeuEnd  258
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FIGURE 9

Aquifex VF-5 Phosphatase (34A1A)
Complete Gene Sequence

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       ATGGAAAACTTAAAAAAGTACCTAGAAGTTGCAAAAATAGCCGCGCTCGCGGGTGGGCAG
   1   MetGluAsnLeuLysLysTyrLeuGluValAlaLysIleAlaAlaLeuAlaGlyGlyGln   20

       GTTCTGAAAGAAAACTTCGGAAAGGTAAAAAAGGAAAACATAGAGGAAAAAGGGGAAAAG
  21   ValLeuLysGluAsnPheGlyLysValLysLysGluAsnIleGluGluLysGlyGluLys   40

       GACTTTGTAAGTTACGTGGATAAAACTTCAGAGGAAAGGATAAAGGAGGTGATACTCAAG
  41   AspPheValSerTyrValAspLysThrSerGluGluArgIleLysGluValIleLeuLys   60

       TTCTTTCCCGATCACGAGGTCGTAGGGGAAGAGATGGGTGCGGAGGGAAGCGGAAGCGAA
  61   PhePheProAspHisGluValValGlyGluGluMetGlyAlaGluGlySerGlySerGlu   80

       TACAGGTGGTTCATAGACCCCCTTGACGGCACAAAGAACTACATAAACGGTTTTCCCATC
  81   TyrArgTrpPheIleAspProLeuAspGlyThrLysAsnTyrIleAsnGlyPheProIle  100

       TTTGCCGTATCAGTGGGACTTGTTAAGGGAGAAGAGCCAATTGTGGGTGCGGTTTACCTT
 101   PheAlaValSerValGlyLeuValLysGlyGluGluProIleValGlyAlaValTyrLeu  120

       CCTTACTTTGACAAGCTTTACTGGGGTGCTAAAGGTCTCGGGGCTTACGTAAACGGAAAG
 121   ProTyrPheAspLysLeuTyrTrpGlyAlaLysGlyLeuGlyAlaTyrValAsnGlyLys  140

       AGGATAAAGGTAAAGGACAATGAGAGTTTAAAGCACGCCGGAGTGGTTTACGGATTTCCC
 141   ArgIleLysValLysAspAsnGluSerLeuLysHisAlaGlyValValTyrGlyPhePro  160

       TCTAGGAGCAGGAGGGACATATCTATCTACTTGAACATATTCAAGGATGTCTTTTACGAA
 161   SerArgSerArgArgAspIleSerIleTyrLeuAsnIlePheLysAspValPheTyrGlu  180

       GTTGGCTCTATGAGGAGACCCGGGGCTGCTGCGGTTGACCTCTGCATGGTGGCGGAAGGG
 181   ValGlySerMetArgArgProGlyAlaAlaAlaValAspLeuCysMetValAlaGluGly  200

       ATATTTGACGGGATGATGGAGTTTGAAATGAAGCCGTGGGACATAACCGCAGGGCTTGTA
 201   IlePheAspGlyMetMetGluPheGluMetLysProTrpAspIleThrAlaGlyLeuVal  220

       ATACTGAAGGAAGCCGGGGGCGTTTACACACTTGTGGGAGAACCCTTCGGAGTTTCGGAC
 221   IleLeuLysGluAlaGlyGlyValTyrThrLeuValGlyGluProPheGlyValSerAsp  240

       ATAATTGCGGGCAACAAAGCCCTCCACGACTTTATACTTCAGGTAGCCAAAAAGTATATG
 241   IleIleAlaGlyAsnLysAlaLeuHisAspPheIleLeuGlnValAlaLysLysTyrMet  260

       GAAGTGGCGGTGTGA
 261   GluValAlaValEnd  265
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